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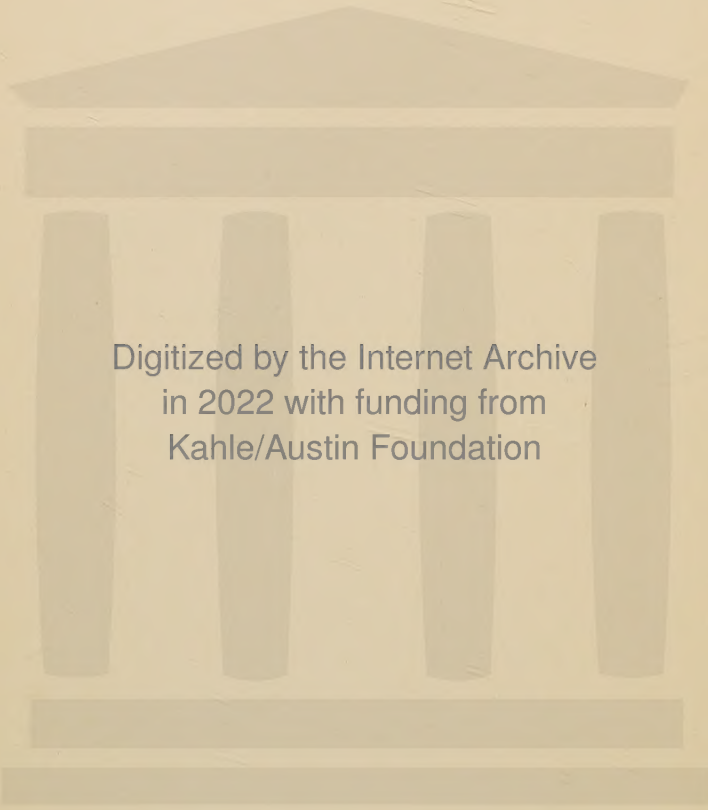
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PREFACE

The preparation of this bibliography was originally undertaken by John G. Rauch, of Indianapolis, as a catalogue of his collection of original printings of the acts adopted by the several lawmaking bodies which have exercised jurisdiction over the lands now forming the state of Indiana. Since the collection is a very nearly perfect one, brought together in a research of some fifteen years, it has been decided to expand the catalogue into a complete bibliography by supplying the few missing items from other sources, and adding such collation of title-pages and text as would readily identify each publication. Wherever possible, two copies of each volume have been examined and any variations recorded as an indication of the minor differences that may be found in copies from the same edition.

The excellent set of laws in the Indiana State Library has been of great assistance in supplementing Mr. Rauch's collection, and in supplying volumes for comparison. Additional items have been collated from the collections of the Illinois State Historical Library, the Chicago Historical Society Library, the Newberry Library, the Library of Congress, the Borden Museum, of Borden, and the Social Law Library, of Boston.

The scope of this work is limited to the session laws and revisions made by territorial or state authority, together with certain privately compiled revisions or reprints which cover a complete session or a longer period; many of these latter have acquired, by judicial recognition, a quasi-official status. Official and private reprints of single laws, or collected laws upon a single subject, such as education, banking, elections, and the like, which have been published in considerable numbers, have been

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omitted, although this limitation excluded some rare and interesting items contained in Mr. Rauch's collection.

During the territorial period and under the first constitution of the state of Indiana, the General Assembly passed a relatively large number and variety of private laws, such as those granting divorces to specified persons, or incorporating companies. Most of these, but not all, were printed. In the laws for 1810 these private laws are printed by title; at the end of the volume of 1814 laws are listed ten private acts not printed, but filed in the office of the territorial secretary, and at least one of the special acts of 1823-24 was printed by title only. So far as can be ascertained, the titles of all private laws passed by the General Assembly were listed. It is possible that certain private laws are still in force which are not mentioned in the 1852 revision of the laws.

Between 1816 and 1852 the differentiation between local and general laws was reflected by the publication of the session laws under those two titles. It should be noted that the distinction was not always strictly followed, definitely local laws sometimes finding their way into the general publications, and general laws appearing among the local acts. During this period, too, the militia acts were printed sometimes with the regular session laws and sometimes separately.

A curious circumstance in connection with the session laws is the misnumbering of the general assemblies following the forty-third. Probably due to the interposition of a special session of the legislature, the next, or forty-fourth, assembly was designated as the forty-fifth; the error has been continued by all subsequent sessions.

Another source of confusion in relation to the citation of the session laws has arisen from the fact that the assemblies from 1816 until 1852 began in one year and ended in the next. In view of the opposing practices of various authorities, some of whom cite a session by the year in which it began, and some by the year of its ending, the use of both years, as, the session of 1816-17,

seems the only unmistakably clear form of description and has been adopted in the publications of the Historical Bureau.

There have been included with this work a brief historical account of the various claims to sovereignty over the territory now known as Indiana, since the Treaty of Paris, 1763, and an appendix relating to the laws and their publication.

The work of collating titles and of compiling the material in this volume has been done by Miss Nellie C. Armstrong, of the Historical Bureau. Blair Taylor, of Indianapolis, prepared the data for that part of the introductory note which traces the various claims to sovereignty over the territory now known as Indiana. To Charles Kettleborough, director of the Legislative Bureau, and to Miss Esther U. McNitt, of the Indiana State Library, we are under obligation for advice on many points. Mrs. Ruth Williams Spilver, of the Indiana State Library, assisted Miss Armstrong in preparing the appendix and in seeing the book through the press.

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INTRODUCTION

SOVEREIGNTY AND LEGISLATIVE AUTHORITY OVER INDIANA

*Il faut eclairer l'histoire par les lois, et
les lois par l'histoire.*—MONTESQUIEU

Prior to the Treaty of Paris, 1763, no nation had undisputed sovereignty over the land now comprising Indiana. French claims had been supported by actual possession and settlement, but the earlier Spanish claim was not until then invalidated, and the English were more and more vigorously laying hold upon the land between the Atlantic coast and the Mississippi River.

The Treaty of Paris, which brought to an end the Seven Years War and the series of conflicts known in English America as the French and Indian Wars, was signed on February 10, 1763. In Article VII of this treaty it was agreed that for the future the confines between the dominions of the British king and those of his most Christian Majesty, the King of France, in that part of the world, should "be fixed irrevocably by a line drawn along the middle of the river Mississippi, from its source to the river Iberville, and from thence, by a line drawn along the middle of this river, and the lake Maurepas and Ponchartrain, to the sea; and for this purpose the most Christian king cedes, in full right, and guaranties to his British majesty . . . every thing which he possesses, or ought to possess, on the left side the river Mississippi." In Article XX it was agreed that "his Catholic majesty¹ cedes and guaranties, in full right, to his Britannic majesty, Florida, . . . as well as all that Spain possesses on the continent of North America, to

¹ The King of Spain.

the east or to the south-east of the river Mississippi; and, in general, every thing that depends on the said countries and lands."²

These renunciations and transfers vested the title and sovereignty of North America from the Atlantic to the Mississippi clearly in the British Crown. The royal proclamation issued by George III, of England, on October 7, 1763 erected British authority and jurisdiction over the ceded territory. The upper valley of the Mississippi was expressly reserved to the Indians and was not included in any of the three provinces erected in North America by the proclamation.³

Earlier English charters, however, had granted to several colonies various portions of the region northwest of the Ohio River, and the claim to jurisdiction advanced by these colonies under their charters must be noticed.

Virginia. On April 10 / 20, 1606 James I granted to "divers . . . loving subjects . . . to make habitation . . . and to deduce a colony . . . into that part of America, commonly called Virginia . . . situate, lying, and being all along the sea coasts, between four and thirty degrees of Northerly latitude from the Equinoctial line, and five and forty degrees of the same latitude, and in the main land between the same four and thirty and five and forty degrees." This gave to certain knights and other adventurers of the city of London a choice of location in the area between the thirty-fourth degree north latitude and the forty-first, and into the mainland one hundred English miles, to be called the First Colony. To certain esquires and others of the town of Plymouth there was given a choice in the area between the thirty-eighth degree north latitude and the forty-fifth degree north latitude, and the same distance inland, to be called the

² *The Annual Register, or a View of the History, Politics, and Literature, for the Year 1762*, 5:236-37, 240 (London, 1810); printed in Macdonald, William (ed.), *Documentary Source Book of American History, 1606-1926*, 111-12 (New York, 1926).

³ *Annual Register*, 6:208-13.

Second Colony. In the overlapping territory, viz: thirty-eighth to forty-first degrees, the charter stated, "Provided always, and our will and pleasure herein is, that the plantation and habitation of such of the said colonies, as shall last plant themselves, as aforesaid shall not be made within one hundred like English miles of the other of them, that first began to make their plantation as aforesaid." Control of the landward frontier was given to the two colonies, with the added provision that "no other of our subjects shall be permitted, or suffered to plant or inhabit behind, or on the backside of them, towards the main land, without the express licence of the council of that colony, thereunto, in writing first had and obtained."⁴

This was supplemented by a second charter of May 23 / June 2, 1609, incorporating the First Colony, which meanwhile had established the plantation of Jamestown, under the name of "The Treasurer and Company of Adventurers and Planters of the City of London for the First Colony in Virginia," and giving this corporation "all those lands, countries, and territories, situate, lying, and being, in that part of America called Virginia, from the point of land, called Cape or Point Comfort, all along the sea coast, to the Northward two hundred miles, and from the said point of Cape Comfort, all along the sea coast, to the southward two hundred miles, and all that space and circuit of land, lying from the sea coast of the precinct aforesaid, up into the land, throughout from sea to sea, west and northwest."⁵

A supplementary charter of 1612 made no change in

⁴ Brown, Alexander (ed.), *The Genesis of the United States. A narrative of the movement in England, 1605-1616, which resulted in the plantation of North America by Englishmen . . . set forth through a series of historical manuscripts now first printed together with a reissue of rare contemporaneous tracts . . .*, 1:52-53, 54-55 (Riverside Press, 1890); printed also in Macdonald (ed.), *Documentary Source Book*, 1-4.

⁵ Brown (ed.), *Genesis of the United States*, 1:229; printed also in Macdonald (ed.), *Documentary Source Book*, 10.

the continental jurisdiction of the company. Its organization and conduct, however, brought it into disfavor with the king, and *quo warranto* proceedings were instituted against it before the King's Bench. Judgment was rendered against the company in 1624 and its franchise declared forfeited. The dissolution of the company did not cancel the charter; it only brought back into the hands of the king whatever he had granted to the company.⁶ Virginia, as the colony itself was henceforth called, now became a royal province, presumably with the boundaries already granted.

Not until 1738 did Virginia definitely take up the extension of her county organization into the remote western country. In November of that year, when France was still in possession of the northern part of the Ohio Valley, the assembly passed an act providing that "all that territory and tract of land, at present deemed to be part of the county of Orange, lying on the north west side of the top of the said mountains,⁷ extending from thence northerly, westerly, and southerly, beyond the said mountains, to the utmost limits of Virginia, be separated from the rest of the said county, and erected into two distinct counties and parishes; to be divided by a line to be run from the head spring of Hedgman river⁸ to the head spring of the river Potowmack: . . . And that the rest of the said territory, lying on the other side of the said line,⁹ beyond the top of the said Blue Ridge, shall be one other distinct county, and parish; to be called by the name of the county of Augusta, and parish of Augusta."¹⁰

In 1769 the Virginia Assembly divided the county of Augusta "by a line beginning at the Blue Ridge, running

⁶ Osgood, Herbert L., *The American Colonies in the Seventeenth Century*, 3:48-53 (New York, 1907).

⁷ The Blue Ridge Mountains.

⁸ Now called the north branch of the Rappahannock River.

⁹ The southwest side.

¹⁰ Hening, William W. (ed.), *The Statutes at Large; being a collection of all the laws of Virginia, from the first session of the legislature, in the year 1619*, 5:78-79 (Richmond, 1819).

north fifty-five degrees west, to the confluence of Mary's creek, or the south river, with the north branch of James river, thence up the same to the mouth of Carr's creek, thence up the said creek to the mountain, thence north fifty-five degrees west, as far as the courts of the two counties shall extend it; and that all that part . . . which lies on the south side of the said line, shall be one distinct county and parish, and called and known by the name of Botetourt; and that all the other part thereof, shall . . . retain the name of Augusta."¹¹

By the extension of this line, and by the implied comprehension of lands, the greater part of Indiana was within Botetourt County of the Colony of Virginia.

Massachusetts. Patentees of the Second, or Plymouth Company, of 1606, secured a new charter dated November 3 / 13, 1620, though it did not pass the great seal for delivery to the patentees until June, 1621, creating the "Council established at Plymouth in the County of Devon for the Planting, Ruling and Governing of New England in America," generally known as the Council for New England, and granting it the American continent between forty and forty-eight degrees north latitude,¹² an extensive territory, part of which has ever since borne the name given in the charter.¹³ "Wee¹⁴ . . . grant, ordaine and establish, that all that Circuit, Continent, Precincts, and Limitts in America, lying and being in Breadth from Fourty Degrees of Northerly Latitude, from the Equinoctiall Line, to Fourty-eight Degrees of the said Northerly Latitude, and in length by all the Breadth aforesaid throughout the Maine Land, from Sea to Sea, with all the Seas, Rivers, Islands, Creekes, Inletts, Ports, and Havens, within the Degrees, Precincts, and Limitts of the said Latitude and Longitude, shall be the

¹¹ *Ibid.*, 8:395-96.

¹² The fortieth degree runs a little north of the center of Indiana.

¹³ Osgood, *American Colonies in the Seventeenth Century*, 1:98-103 (New York, 1904).

¹⁴ James I.

Limitts, and Bounds, and Precincts of the second Colony: And to the End that the said Territoryes may forever hereafter be more particularly and certainly known and distinguished, our Will and Pleasure is, that the same shall from henceforth be nominated, termed, and called by the Name of New-England, in America; . . . We do by these Presents, for Us, our Heyrs and Successors, name, call, erect, found and establish, and by that Name to have Continuance for ever."¹⁵

Under this charter the Council for New England, on March 19 / 27, 1628, gave to a group of adventurers, i.e. stockholders, an indenture bestowing on them all of its rights of soil and jurisdiction in "the territory between lines drawn three miles north of the Merrimac River and three miles south of the Charles River, and extending through to the South Sea."¹⁶ On March 4 / 14, 1628 / 1629 Charles I issued a charter to these stockholders creating the company of Massachusetts Bay in New England and confirming its rights to "all Landes and Hereditaments whatsoever, lyeing within the Lymitts aforesaide, North and South, in Latitude and Bredth, and in Length and Longitude, of and within all the Bredth aforesaide, throughout the mayne Landes there, from the Atlantick and Westernne Sea and Ocean on the East Parte, to the South Sea on the West Parte."¹⁷

The migration of the Massachusetts company to its grant, and the development out of it of the great self-governing colony of Massachusetts, was followed in the reign of Charles II by an attack upon it in the courts of England. This culminated in the successful prosecution of a writ of *scire facias* and a final decree, entered Octo-

¹⁵ Poore, Ben: Perley (comp.), *The Federal and State Constitutions, Colonial Charters, and Other Organic Laws of the United States*, pt. 1:922-23 (Washington, 1877).

¹⁶ Osgood, *American Colonies in the Seventeenth Century*, 1:124-25, 130-31; see also Poore (comp.), *Federal and State Constitutions*, pt. 1:932.

¹⁷ *Ibid.*, 934.

ber 13 / 23, 1684, cancelling the charter.¹⁸ However, in 1691 William and Mary issued a new charter stating: "Wee doe by these presents for Us Our Heires and Successors Will and Ordeyne . . . one reall Province by the Name of Our Province of the Massachusetts Bay in New England And . . . Wee . . . doe . . . grant unto . . . the Inhabitants of . . . the Massachusetts Bay and their Successors all that parte of New England in America lying and extending from the greate River commonly called Monomack als Merrimack on the Northpart and from three Miles Northward of the said River to the Atlantick or Western Sea or Ocean on the South part And all the Lands and Hereditaments whatsoever lying within the limitts aforesaid and extending as farr as the Outermost Points or Promontories of Land called Cape Cod and Cape Mallabar North and South and in Latitude Breadth and in Length and Longitude of and within all the Breadth and Compass aforesaid throughout the Main Land there from the said Atlantick or Western Sea and Ocean on the East parte towards the South Sea or Westward as far as Our Collonyes of Rhode Island Connecticutt and the Marragansett¹⁹ Countrey."²⁰

The westward extension of the former grant and the complicated language of this charter of 1691 formed the basis of the claim of the colony, and later state, of Massachusetts to lands between the Ohio River and the Great Lakes.

Connecticut. The self-governing colony of Connecticut received royal sanction by the charter granted on April 23 / May 3, 1662 by Charles II, which defined it "on the *East* by *Narraganset-River*, commonly called *Narraganset-Bay*, where the said River falleth into the Sea; and on the *North* by the Line of the *Massachusetts-Plantation*; and on the *South* by the *Sea*; and in Longi-

¹⁸ Osgood, *American Colonies in the Seventeenth Century*, 3:333.

¹⁹ Narragansett.

²⁰ Poore (comp.), *Federal and State Constitutions*, pt. 1:947.

tude as the Line of the *Massachusetts-Colony*, running from *East to West, That is to say*, From the said *Nar-raganset-Bay* on the East, to the *South Sea* on the *West Part*, with the *Islands* thereunto adjoining.”²¹

This area runs from about the forty-first degree of north latitude to about the forty-second, and in the west would include the northern portion of the present state of Indiana.

New York. The province of New York was created on paper on March 12 / 22, 1663 / 1664 by grant of Charles II to his brother James, Duke of York; it was made a reality by the surrender of New Amsterdam by the Dutch to the English expedition in August, 1664; ceded finally by the Dutch in the Treaty of Westminster in February, 1674, and confirmed on June 29 / July 9, 1674 by a second charter almost identical with the first, in which Charles II gave and granted to his “dearest brother James Duke of York . . . the said river called Hudson’s River and all the lands from the west side of Connecticut River to the east side of Delaware Bay.”²²

The claims of the province and later state of New York under these charters to western territory, were strengthened by the fact that “the Six Nations and tributaries had put themselves under the protection of England, and . . . they had always been treated by the Crown as appendant to the government in New York;”²³ New York also made various treaties with the Six Nations and their allies by virtue of which it claimed jurisdiction over a large part of the Old Northwest.

The claims of Virginia, Massachusetts, Connecticut, and New York to territory northwest of the Ohio River were disregarded in the “Quebec Act” of 1774. This extended the southern boundary of the province of Quebec

²¹ Poore (comp.), *Federal and State Constitutions*, pt. 1:256-57.

²² *Ibid.*, 786.

²³ Adams, Herbert B., *Maryland’s Influence upon Land Cessions to the United States*, 21 (Johns Hopkins University Studies, 3:no. 1, Baltimore, 1885).

to the western line of Pennsylvania and along the Ohio River to its mouth, thus including the whole of the Old Northwest.²⁴ At the outbreak of the Revolution imperial authority vested in Quebec jurisdiction over the territory now constituting Indiana.

The military expedition of George Rogers Clark in 1778-79, with a provision in its commission from the state of Virginia to take Kaskaskia, whose white inhabitants, it was hoped, might give "Evidence of their attachment to this State (for it is certain they live within its Limits)," ²⁵ established the authority of Virginia over the settlements in the southern part of the Old Northwest, including Vincennes. This brought about a divided and conflicting sovereignty within the present confines of Indiana, the northern part being under the government of Quebec and the English military authorities, and the southern part under Virginia. In both cases the control was largely nominal.

Virginia, by an act of assembly, on December 9, 1778 erected a western county of vague description. The law recited that "several of the British posts within the territory of this commonwealth, in the country adjacent to the river Mississippi, have been reduced, and the inhabitants have acknowledged themselves citizens thereof" and provided that "all the citizens of this commonwealth who are already settled, or shall hereafter settle, on the western side of the Ohio aforesaid, shall be included in a distinct county, which shall be called Illinois county." This act was to remain in force for one year and until the end

²⁴ Pickering, Danby (ed.), *The Statutes at Large, from Magna Charta to the End of the Thirteenth Parliament of Great Britain*, 30:549-50 (Cambridge, 1773).

²⁵ Secret instructions from Patrick Henry to George Rogers Clark, Williamsburg, January 2, 1778, printed in English, William H., *Conquest of the Country Northwest of the River Ohio, 1778-1783, and Life of Gen. George Rogers Clark . . .*, 1:96 (Bowen-Merrill Company, 1896); also in James, James Alton (ed.), *George Rogers Clark Papers, 1771-1781*, 34-35 (*Collections of the Illinois State Historical Library*, vol. 7, Springfield, 1912), and elsewhere.

of the next session of the assembly.²⁶ It was renewed for two years in May, 1780, but was not renewed thereafter and expired January 5, 1782 at the adjournment of the assembly.²⁷

In the county of Illinois, a court was established at Vincennes, as was one at Kaskaskia, but conditions were so chaotic that the legal system of Virginia cannot be said to have extended over the country which later became Indiana. Therefore no list of Virginia laws is included in this volume. No attempt was ever made by Massachusetts, Connecticut, or New York to extend a legal system over this part of the country.

The question of sovereignty was brought one step nearer solution by the treaty of peace between the United States and Great Britain, the Treaty of Paris, of September 3, 1783. In this document Great Britain among other concessions relinquished "all claims to the government, propriety, and territorial rights" in the region east of the Mississippi and south of a line drawn through the middle of Lakes Erie, Huron, and their connecting waters and continuing through the water communication between Huron and Lake Superior and thence through Lake Superior northward of the isles Royal and Phelepeaux, and on through the Lake of the Woods—the region which came to be known as the Territory Northwest of the River Ohio, or more generally, the Northwest Territory.

The confusion of authorities within the United States still left the question of sovereignty in the Northwest Territory subject to differences of interpretation. Was each of the thirteen states named in the Declaration of Independence and in the treaty of peace an independent sovereignty, or was the confederated United States itself the sovereign body? There was the additional complexity that while Virginia claimed the whole of the Northwest, had by force expelled British agencies from part

²⁶ Hening (ed.), *Statutes at Large*, 9:552-53, 555.

²⁷ *Ibid.*, 10:303-4.

of it, and had established for a while a semblance of government north of the Ohio River, the states of Massachusetts, Connecticut, and New York asserted claims to parts of this region.

Sovereignty over the territory northwest of the Ohio River was fixed definitely and absolutely when all the states involved acted upon the recommendation of the Continental Congress of September 6, 1780,²⁸ and subsequent agreements, to cede, with some conditions and reservations, their rights and claims to "the United States in Congress assembled." The General Assembly of Virginia passed an act on December 20, 1783 reciting its earlier act of October 20, 1783, the act of Congress referred to above, the conditional cessions by Virginia of January 2, 1781, and the act of Congress of September 13, 1782 stipulating the terms on which the cession would be accepted; it continued:

"Be it enacted by the General Assembly that it shall and may be lawful for the Delegates of this State, to the Congress of the United States, or such of them as shall be assembled in Congress, and the said Delegates or such of them so assembled, are hereby fully authorized and empowered, for and on behalf of this State, by proper deeds or instrument in writing under their Hands and Seals, to convey, transfer, assign and make over, unto the United States in Congress assembled, for the benefit of the said States, all Right, Title, and Claim as well of Soil as Jurisdiction, which this Commonwealth hath to the Territory or Tract of Country, within the Limits of the Virginia Charter, situate, lying, and being to the North-West of the River Ohio."

The act made the cession subject to the condition, among other things, "that the Territory so ceded, shall be laid out and formed into States, containing a suitable extent of Territory, not less than one hundred, nor more than one hundred and fifty miles square, or as near there-

²⁸ Hunt, Gaillard (ed.), *Journals of the Continental Congress, 1774-1789*, 17:806-7 (Washington, 1910).

to, as Circumstances will admit, and that the States so formed, shall be distinct Republican States, and admitted members of the Federal Union, having the same rights of Sovereignty, Freedom, and Independence, as the other States."²⁹

On March 1, 1784 Thomas Jefferson, Samuel Hardy, Arthur Lee, and James Monroe as delegates of Virginia signed the deed of cession which cited the act of October 20, 1783, and other documents; it ran in part:

"We . . . do by these presents convey, transfer, assign and make over unto The United States in Congress Assembled, for the benefit of the said States, Virginia inclusive, all Right, Title and Claim, as well of Soil as of Jurisdiction which the said Commonwealth hath to the Territory or Tract of Country within the limits of the Virginia Charter, situate, lying, and being to the North-West of the River Ohio, to and for the uses and purpose and on the Conditions of the said recited Act."³⁰

Virginia's reservation of lands in the Northwest for payment of military bounties already promised or granted passed title to certain lands in Indiana (Clark's Grant, also called the Illinois Grant) and in Ohio directly from that state to her soldiers, but the surrender of jurisdiction was complete and final.

Meanwhile, on March 1, 1781, New York had executed a deed of cession to the United States covering all her claims in the Northwest. Massachusetts, on April 19, 1785, conveyed to the United States the right and title to her lands "west of a meridian line drawn through the western bent or inclination of Lake Ontario, provided such line should fall twenty miles or more west of the western limit of the Niagara River." Connecticut authorized the transfer of her claim in May, 1786, reserving the tract of land extending 120 miles west of Pennsylvania

²⁹ *Facsimile Deed of Cession. Old Northwest Territory to the United States of America Executed by the Commonwealth of Virginia March 1, 1784* (Richmond, 1927).

³⁰ *Ibid.*

and lying between Lake Erie and the forty-first degree of north latitude—the so-called Connecticut or Western Reserve. The deed of cession was not given until September, 1786.³¹

The first civil government for this whole territory, with a resident lawmaking body, was provided for on July 13, 1787, when the United States Congress passed the "Ordinance for the Government of the Territory of the United States northwest of the River Ohio," familiarly known as the Northwest Ordinance or the Ordinance of 1787. The territorial government provided for in this ordinance was organized and began its legislative work the following year. Beginning, therefore, with the year 1788, we have an uninterrupted series of session laws, first for the Northwest Territory, and subsequently for the governments of Indiana Territory and the State of Indiana.

The legislative power of the Northwest Territory was vested temporarily in appointive officials and was limited in scope, as follows:

"There shall be appointed, from time to time, by Congress, a governor, whose commission shall continue in force for the term of three years, unless sooner revoked by Congress, he shall reside in the district, and have a freehold estate therein, and 1000 acres of land, while in the exercise of his office.

". . . There shall also be appointed a court to consist of three judges, any two of whom to form a court, who shall have a common law jurisdiction, and reside in the district, and have each therein a freehold estate in 500

³¹ See Hinsdale, B. A., *The Old Northwest, with a view of the thirteen colonies as constituted by the royal charters*, ch. 13, especially pages 237, 246-47 (New York, 1888). Part of the Western Reserve land was granted to Connecticut citizens as compensation for losses or services in the War of the Revolution. Part of it was sold and the proceeds have constituted the permanent Connecticut School Fund. All jurisdictional claims of Connecticut to this land were formally surrendered to the United States on May 30, 1800.

acres of land, while in the exercise of their offices; and their commissions shall continue in force during good behaviour.

"The governor and judges, or a majority of them, shall adopt and publish in the district, such laws of the original states, criminal and civil, as may be necessary, and best suited to the circumstances of the district, and report them to Congress, from time to time; which laws shall be in force in the district until the organization of the general assembly therein, unless disapproved of by Congress; but afterwards the legislature shall have authority to alter them as they shall think fit."³²

The Ordinance contained also six "articles of compact between the original states, and the people and states in the said territory, . . . forever . . . unalterable, unless by common consent," all of which limited the legislation of the territory.³³ Whether the "articles of compact" were perpetually binding upon the states formed out of the territory after their admission into the Union is a question which has not received final judicial interpretation. The Ordinance was adjusted and incorporated into the legislation of the federal government under its second constitution by act of Congress, August 7, 1789.³⁴

The legislative authority of the governor and judges was extended by an act of Congress approved May 8, 1792 giving them the power to repeal laws.³⁵ The legislation enacted by the governor and judges of the Northwest in many cases ignored the limitation that it must be adopted from laws of one or another of the United States. Congress, although in the same act of May 8, 1792 it disapproved a territorial statute of limitations passed on December 28, 1788, and though the House of

³² *Journals of the American Congress: From 1774 to 1788*, 4:752 (Washington, 1823).

³³ *Ibid.*, 753.

³⁴ *The Laws of the United States of America*, 1:32-33 (Philadelphia, 1796).

³⁵ *Annals of Congress*, 2 Congress, 1 session: 480-81, 1395-96 (Washington, 1849).

Representatives voted on February 16, 1795 to disallow all but one of the laws passed by the governor and judges on August 1, 1792, did not consistently enforce either the provision of the ordinance nor any decided policy of its own.³⁸

Provision for the development of a more extensive system of territorial legislative authority was contained in the Ordinance of 1787:

"So soon as there shall be 5000 free male inhabitants of full age, in the district, upon giving proof thereof to the governor, they shall receive authority, . . . to elect representatives from their counties or townships, to represent them in the general assembly; provided that for every 500 free male inhabitants, there shall be one representative, and so on progressively with the number of free male inhabitants . . . until the number of representatives shall amount to 25; after which, the number and proportion of representatives shall be regulated by the legislature:

"The representatives thus elected, shall serve for the term of two years;

"The general assembly, or legislature, shall consist of the governor, legislative council, and a house of representatives. The legislative council shall consist of five members, to continue in office five years, unless sooner removed by Congress; any three of whom to be a quorum; and the members of the council shall be nominated and appointed in the following manner, to wit: As soon as representatives shall be elected, the governor shall appoint a time and place for them to meet together, and, when met, they shall nominate ten persons, residents in the district, and each possessed of a freehold in 500 acres of land, and return their names to Congress; five of

³⁸ *Ibid.*, 3 Congress, 2 session, 825, 830, 1214, 1227. For a discussion of the legislation by the governor and judges of the Northwest Territory, see Pease, Theodore C. (ed.), *The Laws of the Northwest Territory, 1788-1800*, xiv-xxx (*Collections of the Illinois State Historical Library*, vol. 17, Springfield, 1925).

whom Congress shall appoint and commission to serve . . . And the governor, legislative council and house of representatives, shall have authority to make laws, in all cases, for the good government of the district, not repugnant to the principles and articles in this ordinance established and declared. And all bills having passed by a majority in the house, and by a majority in the council, shall be referred to the governor for his assent; but no bill or legislative act whatever, shall be of any force without his assent. The governor shall have power to convene, prorogue and dissolve the general assembly, when, in his opinion, it shall be expedient."³⁷

The Ordinance of 1787 included, also, provision for filling vacancies, for subsequent election of members of the council, and for officials taking the oath of office; it imposed property and residence qualification for electors and representatives as well as for members of the legislative council.

The population prerequisite for this change was reached in the Northwest Territory in 1798. A proclamation of Governor Arthur St. Clair on October 29, 1798 called for the election of representatives on the third Monday of December. The representatives convened at Cincinnati on February 4 and nominated ten persons for the legislative council. The president appointed five of these, and the Senate confirmed their appointment. The creation of a General Assembly brought the territory into what is generally called the "second grade" of territorial government. The newly formed Assembly met at Cincinnati, on September 16, 1798 but was not fully organized until September 24. The session—the only one in which the future Indiana participated—terminated on December 19, 1799.³⁸

³⁷ *Journals of Congress*, 4:752-53.

³⁸ Smith, William Henry (ed.), *The St. Clair Papers, The Life and Public Service of Arthur St. Clair . . . with his Correspondence and Other Papers*, 2:438-39, 441-42 (Cincinnati, 1892); Dillon, John B., *A History of Indiana, from its Earliest Exploration by*

Indiana Territory was separated from the Northwest Territory and organized as a separate territory of the first grade by "An Act to divide the Territory of the United States Northwest of the Ohio, into two separate Governments," approved by the president on May 7, 1800.³⁹

"From and after the fourth day of July next, all that part of the Territory of the United States Northwest of the Ohio River, which lies to the westward of a line beginning at the Ohio, opposite to the mouth of Kentucky river, and running thence to Fort Recovery, and thence north until it shall intersect the territorial line between the United States and Canada, shall, for the purposes of temporary government, constitute a separate territory, and be called the Indiana Territory.

"SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted*, That there shall be established within the said Territory a Government in all respects similar to that provided by the ordinance of Congress, passed on the thirteenth day of July, one thousand seven hundred and eighty-seven, for the government of the Territory of the United States Northwest of the river Ohio. . . .

"SEC. 5. *And be it further enacted*, That nothing in this act contained shall be construed so as in any manner to affect the Government now in force in the Territory of the United States North-west of the Ohio river, further than to prohibit the exercise thereof within the Indiana Territory, from and after the aforesaid fourth day of July next: *Provided*, That, whenever that part of the Territory of the United States which lies to the eastward of a line beginning at the mouth of the Great Miami river, and running thence due north to the territorial line between the United States and Canada, shall be erected into an independent State, and admitted into

Europeans to the Close of the Territorial Government, in 1816 . . ., 391 (Indianapolis, 1859); Esarey, Logan, *A History of Indiana from Its Exploration to 1850*, 1:149-50 (Indianapolis, 1915).

³⁹ *Annals*, 6 Congress, 1 session, 1498-1500.

the Union on an equal footing with the original States, thenceforth said line shall become and remain permanently the boundary line between such State and the Indiana Territory, anything in this act contained to the contrary notwithstanding." Vincennes was made the seat of government for the new territory.

The legislative function for this territory, as prescribed by the Ordinance of 1787, was exercised temporarily by the governor and three judges, who sat as a legislative body and enacted laws for Indiana Territory in the years 1801, 1802, and 1803.

The extent of the territory under the jurisdiction of the governor and judges was altered when the state of Ohio was formed. The boundary line drawn between the Northwest Territory and Indiana Territory in 1800 differed from that provided in Article V of the Ordinance of 1787 for the separation of an eastern and middle state to be formed out of the original Northwest Territory. Its southern part, from the mouth of the Kentucky River to Fort Recovery ran along the Greenville Treaty line and was intended to be temporary, for the convenience of the settlers living immediately east of that line. In the Enabling Act for the formation of the state of Ohio, approved April 30, 1802, it was provided that its western boundary should follow the "direct line drawn due north from the mouth of the Great-Miami," specified in the Ordinance of 1787⁴⁰ and in the Act of May 7, 1800. The northern boundary was to lie along an east and west line drawn through the "southerly extreme" of Lake Michigan to the Canadian boundary in Lake Erie, and with that boundary to the west line of Pennsylvania.⁴¹ The

⁴⁰ *Journals of Congress*, 4:754.

⁴¹ *Annals*, 7 Congress, 1 session, 1349. The exact date of the admission of the state of Ohio to the Union and of the establishment of its boundary as given above was variously placed at the approval of the Enabling Act, April 30, 1802; at the first meeting of the Ohio legislature, March 1, 1803; and at the seating of Ohio senators and representatives in Congress, October 17, 1803. After three years of controversy, an act of Congress of February

creation of the State of Ohio, therefore, gave to Indiana Territory the triangle familiarly called the "Gore," between the line running due north from the mouth of the Great Miami and the line drawn from opposite the mouth of the Kentucky River to Fort Recovery; it took from Indiana Territory and gave to Ohio the strip of land lying between the meridian line drawn due north from the mouth of the Great Miami and the line due north from Fort Recovery a little more than a mile to the east; and it gave to Indiana Territory that part of Michigan east of the Fort Recovery line and north of the line drawn due east from the southern extremity of Lake Michigan.

The governor and judges of Indiana Territory received a vast temporary increase of jurisdiction when the Louisiana Purchase was divided on March 26, 1804 and they were given limited authority over the part north of the thirty-third degree north latitude. This District of Louisiana was not joined to Indiana Territory, but was, until it became a territory, provided for as follows:⁴²

"SEC. 12. The residue of the province of Louisiana, ceded to the United States, shall be called the District of Louisiana, the Government whereof shall be organized and administered as follows: The Executive power now vested in the Governor of the Indiana Territory, shall extend to and be exercised in the said district of Louisiana. The Governor and Judges of the Indiana Territory shall have power to establish in the said district of Louisiana, inferior courts, and prescribe their jurisdiction and duties, and to make all laws which they may deem conducive to the good government of the inhabitants thereof: PROVIDED *however*, That no law shall be valid which is inconsistent with the constitution and laws of the United States. . . .

21, 1806, allowed the salaries of the territorial officers and ordered them paid until March 1, 1803; this date became generally accepted. King, Rufus, *Ohio. First Fruit of the Ordinance of 1787*, 295 (*American Commonwealths*, Riverside Press, Cambridge, 1888).

⁴² *Annals*, 8 Congress, 1 session, 1297-99.

"SEC. 13. The laws in force in the said district of Louisiana, at the commencement of this act, and not inconsistent with any of the provisions thereof, shall continue in force until altered, modified, or repealed by the Governor and judges of the Indiana Territory."

This authority was to be in force only for one year after October 1, 1804 "and to the end of the next session of Congress, which may happen thereafter."⁴³ The District of Louisiana became a separate territory by act of Congress approved on March 3, 1805, and effective on July 4, 1805.⁴⁴ Meanwhile, however, the governor and judges of Indiana Territory met at Vincennes on October 1, 1804 and passed laws for the District of Louisiana. By virtue of their provenance, the publication of these laws has been included in the list in this volume.

Indiana Territory passed into the second grade in 1805. According to provisions in the statute of May 7, 1800, which created the territory, "so much of the ordinance for the government of the Territory of the United States Northwest of the Ohio river, as relates to the organization of a General Assembly therein, and prescribes the powers thereof, shall be in force and operate in the Indiana Territory, whenever satisfactory evidence shall be given to the Governor thereof that such is the wish of a majority of the freeholders, notwithstanding there may not be therein five thousand free male inhabitants of the age of twenty-one years and upwards: *Provided*, That, until there shall be five thousand free male inhabitants of twenty-one years and upwards in said Territory, the whole number of representatives to the General Assembly shall not be less than seven, nor more than nine, to be apportioned by the Governor to the several counties in the said Territory, agreeably to the number of free males of the age of twenty-one years and upwards, which they may respectively contain."⁴⁵

⁴³ *Annals*, 8 Congress, 1 session, 1300.

⁴⁴ *Ibid.*, 2 session, 1684-86.

⁴⁵ *Ibid.*, 6 Congress, 2 session, 1499.

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Upon petition of freeholders, Governor William Henry Harrison issued a proclamation on August 4, 1804 directing the sheriffs to hold an election in their several counties on September 11, upon the question of "going into the second or representative grade of Government."⁴⁶

The vote being favorable to the change, the governor issued a proclamation on December 5, 1804 establishing representative government, appointing January 3, 1805 for the election of nine representatives apportioned among the counties, and calling a meeting of the representatives at Vincennes on February 1 to nominate members of the Legislative Council.⁴⁷ From the ten nominated, President Jefferson delegated to Governor Harrison the choice of the five members of the council.⁴⁸ The first General Assembly, thus constituted, met on July 29, 1805. This and the subsequent general assemblies enacted laws for Indiana Territory subject to the governor's power of absolute veto.

The area of Indiana Territory under representative government was decreased by the cutting off of Michigan and of Illinois.

Michigan Territory was created by "an act for dividing the Indiana Territory into two separate governments," approved by the president on January 11, 1805, and providing, in part:⁴⁹

"From and after the thirtieth day of June next, all that part of the Indiana Territory which lies north of a line drawn east from the southerly bend, or extreme, of Lake Michigan, until it shall intersect Lake Erie, and east of a line drawn from the said southerly bend through

⁴⁶ Woollen, W. W., Howe, D. W., and Dunn, J. P. (eds.), *Executive Journal of Indiana Territory, 1800-1816*, 124 (*Indiana Historical Society Publications*, 3: no. 3, Indianapolis, 1900).

⁴⁷ *Ibid.*, 125-26.

⁴⁸ Jefferson's letter of April 28, 1805 is printed in Esarey, Logan (ed.), *Governors Messages and Letters. Messages of William Henry Harrison*, 1:126-27 (*Indiana Historical Collections*, vol. 7, Indianapolis, 1922).

⁴⁹ *Annals*, 8 Congress, 2 session, 1659.

the middle of said lake to its northern extremity, and thence due north to the northern boundary of the United States, shall, for the purpose of temporary government, constitute a separate Territory, and be called Michigan."

Illinois Territory was created by another "act for dividing the Indiana Territory into two separate governments," approved by the president on February 3, 1809; it provided that:⁵⁰

"From and after the first day of March next, all that part of the Indiana Territory which lies west of the Wabash river, and a direct line drawn from the said Wabash river and Post Vincennes, due north to the territorial line between the United States and Canada, shall, for the purpose of temporary government, constitute a separate Territory, and be called Illinois."

The creation of Illinois as a third territory in the Northwest marked a departure from the first provision of the Ordinance of 1787, which ordained that the Northwest Territory "for the purposes of temporary government, be one district; subject, however, to be divided into two districts, as future circumstances may, in the opinion of Congress, make it expedient."⁵¹

Another result of the creation of Illinois Territory was the removal from the General Assembly of Indiana Territory of the representatives of the counties west of the Wabash River. When the General Assembly met in 1809 the House of Representatives did not have as many as the nine members required by the act of Congress of February 27, 1809.⁵² It did not, therefore, attempt to pass any legislation.

Congress passed several laws affecting the lawmaking process of Indiana Territory. The right to vote for representatives was extended by an act of February 26, 1808.⁵³ By the act of February 27, 1809, referred to

⁵⁰ *Annals*, 10 Congress, 2 session, 1808.

⁵¹ *Journals of Congress*, 4:752.

⁵² *Annals*, 10 Congress, 2 session, 1821.

⁵³ *Ibid.*, 1 session, 2834.

above, members of the Legislative Council, as well as the delegate to Congress, were to be elected by the citizens entitled to vote for representatives.⁵⁴ Property qualifications for the suffrage were replaced by evidence of having paid a county or territorial tax and office holders, with minor exceptions, were made ineligible to membership in the General Assembly by act of March 3, 1811.⁵⁵

The Enabling Act, approved by the president on April 19, 1816, under which Indiana adopted a constitution and organized a state government, defined the boundaries of the state as follows:

"Bounded on the east by the meridian line which forms the western boundary of the State of Ohio; on the south by the river Ohio, from the mouth of the Great Miami river to the mouth of the river Wabash; on the west by a line drawn along the middle of the Wabash from its mouth, to a point where a due north line, drawn from the town of Vincennes, would last touch the northwestern shore of the said river; and from thence, by a due north line, until the same shall intersect an east and west line, drawn through a point ten miles north of the southern extreme of Lake Michigan; on the north by the said east and west line, until the same shall intersect the first mentioned meridian line which forms the western boundary of the State of Ohio: *Provided*, That the convention hereinafter provided for, when formed, shall ratify the boundaries aforesaid, otherwise they shall be and remain as now prescribed by the ordinance for the government of the territory northwest of the river Ohio: *Provided, also*, That the said State shall have concurrent jurisdiction on the river Wabash, with the State to be formed west thereof, so far as the said river shall form a common boundary to both."⁵⁶

The state boundary thus laid down made some changes in the boundaries as previously established by acts of

⁵⁴ *Ibid.*, 2 session, 1821.

⁵⁵ *Ibid.*, 11 Congress, 2 session, 1347-48.

⁵⁶ *Ibid.*, 14 Congress, 1 session, 1841.

Congress. The division proposed in the Ordinance of 1787 between the middle and the western state to be formed in the Northwest Territory was specifically defined in the Enabling Act by making the line drawn north from Vincennes effective only from the point where it last touches the northwestern shore of the Wabash River. Where the Wabash River determines the boundary between Indiana and Illinois, the line has always run along the middle of the river. The northern boundary was altered by placing it ten miles north of the territorial line;⁵⁷ the eastern boundary, except as changed by this provision, remained the same. No change was made in the southern boundary, as all previous documents involving boundaries, beginning with the act of Virginia establishing Illinois County, bounded the territories and states formed northwest of the Ohio River by that river, i.e., by the northwestern, or right, bank.⁵⁸

These boundaries for the State of Indiana, as proposed in the Enabling Act, were accepted by the constitutional convention,⁵⁹ and embodied, with slight verbal changes, in the state constitution of 1816, and in that of 1851. The constitution of the new state was "ordained and es-

⁵⁷ See Sheehan, Mrs. Frank J., *The Northern Boundary of Indiana* (Indiana Historical Society Publications, 8:no. 6, Indianapolis, 1928).

⁵⁸ The southern boundary of Indiana has been defined by the United States Supreme Court, in the Green River Island case, as the low-water mark on the north side of the Ohio River at the time Kentucky became a state, as nearly as it can be ascertained. Inasmuch as the Ohio River in 1792 flowed in a channel north of Green River Island, this area of some two thousand acres was ruled to belong to Kentucky, notwithstanding the fact that by a change in the course of the Ohio River it had come to be entirely north of that river and attached to Indiana. *Kentucky v. Indiana*, decided May 19, 1890, 136 U. S., 479ff.

⁵⁹ The original ordinance passed by the convention is printed in Kettleborough, Charles, *Constitution Making in Indiana. A Source Book of Constitutional Documents with Historical Introduction and Critical Notes*, 1:82-83 (Indiana Historical Collections, Indianapolis, 1916).

tablished" on June 29, 1816 by the constitutional convention at Corydon,⁶⁰ and the state was formally admitted into the Union by a resolution of the Senate and House of Representatives, approved by the president on December 11, 1816.⁶¹

The state constitution vested legislative authority in a General Assembly; the House of Representatives to have not less than twenty-five nor more than thirty-six members until there should be 22,000 white male inhabitants, thereafter the number was to be not less than thirty-six, nor more than one hundred; the number of members in the Senate was never to be less than one third, nor more than one half the number of representatives; members of both bodies were elected by popular vote of the white male citizens of the age of twenty-one years and upwards and of one year's residence in the state. Representatives were to be elected annually. Senators were to be elected for terms of three years, one third of the membership, as nearly as possible, each year. Bills passed by the General Assembly were subject to veto by the governor, but became laws if passed again by a majority of all members in each house. No act was to be in force until it was published in print, unless in cases of emergency. All laws were to run "Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Indiana." The first session of the General Assembly was to commence on the first Monday of November, 1816, and thereafter it was to meet in regular session every year on the first Monday in December.

There was no limitation upon the length of the sessions, and, aside from the bill of rights in Article I, there were few restrictions as to the character and scope of legislation.

By popular vote of August 4, 1851 the State of Indiana replaced its first constitution by a second one drawn

⁶⁰ The constitution of 1816, printed from the original document, appears in *ibid.*, 1:83-125.

⁶¹ *Annals*, 14 Congress, 2 session, 1348.

up by a constitutional convention held at Indianapolis from October 7, 1850 to February 10, 1851.⁶² The new constitution went into effect in accordance with its own provision on November 1, 1851. Only a few of the most important sections can be noted. It gave the right to vote at all elections to all white male citizens of the age of twenty-one years or over, resident in the state six months, and to all white males of foreign birth resident one year in the United States and six months in Indiana, provided they had declared their intention to become citizens of the United States. This section was amended in 1881 by striking out the word "white," prescribing residence of sixty days in the township and thirty days in the ward or precinct and authorizing the legislature to require voters to register; and again in 1921 by conferring equal suffrage on women, restricting the franchise to native-born or completely naturalized citizens, and eliminating the authorization of requirement of registration.

The General Assembly under the constitution of 1851 is composed of a Senate of not to exceed fifty, and a House of Representatives of not to exceed a hundred members; the senators are elected for a term of four years, one half at a time, and the representatives for two years. Many restrictions are put upon the General Assembly, both by an increase in the safeguards of the bill of rights in Article I, and by checks in the body of the constitution. Regular sessions have been held biennially at the capital since 1853, commencing the Thursday after the first Monday of January. Two thirds of each house is required for a quorum. "Every act shall embrace but one subject . . . which subject shall be expressed in the title." For the most part, local, special, and private laws are rigidly prohibited, and the requirement made that

⁶² The constitution of 1851, printed from the original enrolled copy, appears in Kettleborough, *Constitution Making in Indiana*, 1:295-375.

"all laws shall be general, and of uniform operation throughout the State."

Among the financial restrictions is one against the authorization of any debt except to meet casual deficits in the revenue, to pay interest on the state debt, or to provide for defense in the face of invasion or insurrection.

No act is of effect until "published and circulated in the several counties of the State, by authority, except in case of emergency; which . . . shall be declared in the preamble or in the body, of the law."

A majority of all members elected to each house is necessary to pass bills or joint resolutions. No session of the General Assembly—the first session under the constitution of 1851 was specifically excepted—may extend beyond the term of sixty-one days, nor any special session beyond forty days. Bills are subject to the governor's veto, which, however, may be overcome by a majority of all the members of each house.

The session laws and revisions which have been in force within the boundaries of Indiana and the territories of which it was earlier a part, form a considerable body of legislation. The compilation of a complete list of the publications of these laws is the first step in their study, which is of importance not only to lawyers and judges, but to historians.

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This volume was known as "Maxwell's Code," and was the first book printed in Cincinnati. The annotated copy in the Rauch collection belonged to Isaac Blackford, first Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of Indiana. It is bound with the other territorial laws to 1798.

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the 23d day of/ April in the year of our Lord 1798 and continued by adjournments to the sev-/ enth day of May in the same year/ By Authority/ *Cincinnati/ Printed and Sold by/ Edmund Freeman,/ M,DCC,XCVIII.*

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This volume was known as "Freeman's Code." The copy in the Rauch collection belonged to Isaac Blackford, first Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of Indiana. It is bound with the territorial laws of preceding sessions.

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This facsimile reproduction of the original was published by Robert Clarke and Company, Cincinnati, Ohio. It is undated.

LAWS/ of the/ Territory/ of the/ United States,/ North West of the River Ohio;/ Passed at the First Session of the General Assem-/ bly, Begun and Held at Cincinnati, on Monday,/ the Sixteenth Day of September, A. D. One/ Thousand, Seven Hundred and Ninety-nine/ Also,/ Certain Laws Enacted by the Governor and Judges/ of the Territory, from the Commencement of/ the Government to December, One Thousand,/ Seven Hundred and Ninety Two;/ With an Appendix,/ containing Resolutions, the Ordinance of Con-/ gress for the Government of the Territory, the Constitution of the United States, and the Law/ respecting Fugitives./ Vol. I./ Published by Authority./ *Cincinnati,/ From the Press of Carpenter & Findlay,/ Printers to the Territory,/ MDCCC.*

Collation: Title, 1 leaf; Title to certain acts to 1792, 1 leaf; Acts to 1792, pp. [5]-19; 1 p. blank; Title to acts, 1799-1800, 1 leaf; Acts, pp. [23]-241; Certificate, 1 p.; Appendix, pp. [243]-246; Ordinance, 1787, pp. 247-56; Constitution of the United States, pp. 257-74; Act respecting Fugitives, pp. 275-77; Contents, pp. [278]-280. The title to acts prior to 1792 reads: ACTS/ PUBLISHED BY THE/ GOVERNOR AND JUDGES/ OF THE/ TERRITORY/ OF THE/ UNITED STATES,/ NORTH-WEST OF THE RIVER OHIO,/ FROM THE COMMENCEMENT OF THE GOVERN-/ MENT, TO DECEMBER, ONE THOUSAND, SE-/ VEN HUNDRED AND NINETY-TWO./ The title to acts for the 1799 session reads: ACTS,/ PASSED AT THE/ FIRST SESSION/ OF THE/ GENERAL ASSEMBLY/ OF THE/ TERRITORY/ OF THE/ UNITED STATES,/ NORTH-WEST OF THE RIVER OHIO;/ BEGUN AND HELD AT CINCINNATI, ON MONDAY, THE/ SIXTEENTH DAY OF SEPTEMBER, ONE THOUSAND SE-/ VEN HUNDRED AND NINETY-NINE.

The copy in the Rauch collection belonged to Isaac Blackford, first Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of Indiana. It is bound with the laws adopted at the first, second, third, and fourth sessions held at Saint Vincennes, 1801-3.

THE/ STATUTES of Ohio/ and of the/ Northwestern Territory,/ Adopted or Enacted/ from 1788 to 1833 Inclusive:/ Together with/ the Ordinance of 1787;/ the Constitutions of Ohio and of the United States,/ and Various Public Instruments and Acts of Congress:/ Illustrated by/ a Preliminary Sketch of the History of Ohio;/ Numerous References and Notes,/ and Copious Indexes./ Volume I./ Edited/ By Salmon P. Chase./ *Cincinnati:/ Published by Corey & Fairbank./ 1833.*

Collation: Title, 1 p.; Copyright, 1 p.; Dedication, 1 leaf; Preface, pp. [5]-8; Sketch, pp. [9]-48; Articles of Confederation, pp. [49]-53; Constitution of the United States, pp. [54]-61; Deed of Cession from the State of Virginia, pp. 62-63; Deeds of Cession from the State of Connecticut, pp. 64-66; Ordinance, 1787, pp. 66-69; Acts of Congress, pp. 70-75; Constitution of the State of Ohio, pp. 75-84; Laws of the United States, pp. 84-90; Title for laws of Northwest Territory, p. [91]; Laws, pp. [92]-350; Title for laws of Ohio, p. [351]; Laws, pp. [352]-736; Indexes (Vol. I), pp. [737]-740. The title for laws of the Northwest Territory reads: LAWS/ OF THE/ TERRITORY NORTHWEST/ OF THE/ RIVER OHIO.

This collation was made from a copy of this edition supplied by the Newberry Library of Chicago.

These laws, from the beginning of the second session of the First General Assembly of the Northwest Territory, November 3, 1800, pages 287-740, do not apply to Indiana.

The first 350 pages of this work, minus the dedication and preface, and with a new title page, were issued separately in 1833. See the following item.

LAWS/ of the/ Territory Northwest/ of the/ River Ohio/ including/ the Laws of the Governor and Judges/ the Maxwell Code/ and the/ Laws of the Three Sessions of the Territorial Legislature/ 1791-1802/ with/ a Sketch of the State of Ohio/ the Ordinance of 1787/ etc/ *Cincinnati*/ 1833.

Collation: Title, 1 leaf; Contents, 1 leaf; Sketch, pp. [9]-48; Articles of Confederation, pp. [49]-53; Constitution of the United States, pp. [54]-61; Deed of Cession from the State of Virginia, pp. 62-63; Deeds of Cession from the State of Connecticut, pp. 64-66; Ordinance, pp. 66-69; Acts of Congress, pp. 70-75; Constitution of the State of Ohio, pp. 75-84; Laws of the United States, pp. 84-90; half title, p. [91]; Laws, pp. [92]-350. The half title reads: LAWS/ OF THE/ TERRITORY NORTHWEST/ OF THE/ RIVER OHIO.

COLLECTIONS of the Illinois State Historical Library/ Volume XVII/ Law Series, Volume I/ The Laws of the/ Northwest Territory/ 1788-1800/ Edited with Introduction by/ Theodore Calvin Pease/ University of Illinois/ *Published by the Trustees of the/ Illinois State Historical Library/ Springfield, Illinois/ [1925].*

Collation: Half title, 1 leaf; List, Library Board of Trustees and Advisory Commission, 1 leaf; Series title, 1 leaf; Title, 1 p.; Copyright, 1 p.; Contents, 1 p.; 1 p. blank; Preface, pp. [v]-vii; 1 p. blank; Introduction title, 1 leaf; Introduction, pp. xi-xxxvi; Title to Laws, 1788-91, 1 leaf; Laws, etc., pp. 1-56; Title to Laws, 1792, 1 leaf; Laws, etc., pp. [59]-119; 1 p. blank; Title to Laws, 1795, 1 leaf; Laws, etc., pp. 123-290; Title to Laws, 1798, 1 leaf; Laws, pp. 293-315; 1 p. blank; Title to Laws, 1799, 1 leaf; Laws, etc., pp. [319]-552; Bibliography title, 1 leaf; Bibliography, pp. [555]-556; Index title, 1 leaf; Index, pp. 559-91. The half title reads: COLLECTIONS/ OF THE/ ILLINOIS STATE HISTORICAL/ LIBRARY/ EDITED BY/ THEODORE CALVIN PEASE/ UNIVERSITY OF ILLINOIS/

VOLUME XVII./ The series title reads: LAW SERIES/ VOLUME I/ THE LAWS OF THE/ NORTHWEST TERRITORY/ 1788-1800.

This edition of the laws is a reproduction in modern type of original title pages, spelling and the like, with the signatures and paging of the original indicated. Its exhaustive index, covering all the laws from 1788 to 1800, is an important addition. The compilation was reprinted in 1925 by the Illinois State Bar Association, with added facsimile plates.

A second volume of the series is now in press. See *post*, 11.

LAW Series, Volume I/ The Laws of the/ Northwest Territory/ 1788-1800/ Edited with Introduction by/ Theodore Calvin Pease/ University of Illinois/ Published by the Trustees of the/ Illinois State Historical Library/ *Reprinted by the/ Illinois State Bar Association/ Springfield, Illinois/ [1925].*

Collation: Series title, 1 leaf; Title, 1 p.; Copyright, 1 p.; Plate; Contents, 1 p.; 1 p. blank; Preface, pp. [v]-vii; 1 p. blank; Introduction title, 1 leaf; Introduction, pp. xi-xxxvi; Plate; Title to Laws, 1788-91, 1 leaf; Laws, etc., pp. 1-56; Plate; Title to Laws, 1792, 1 leaf; Laws, etc., pp. [59]-119; 1 p. blank; Plate; Title to Laws, 1795, 1 leaf; Laws, etc., pp. 123-290; Plate; Title to Laws, 1798, 1 leaf; Laws, pp. 293-315; 1 p. blank; Plate; Title to Laws, 1799, 1 leaf; Laws, etc., [319]-552; Bibliography title, 1 leaf; Bibliography, pp. [555]-556; Index title, 1 leaf; Index, pp. 559-91. The first plate is a map of the Northwest Territory, 1787; the remaining five are facsimiles of original title pages of the territorial laws. The series title reads: LAW SERIES/ VOLUME I/ THE LAWS OF THE/ NORTHWEST TERRITORY/ 1788-1800/ REPRINTED BY THE/ ILLINOIS STATE BAR ASSOCIATION/ UNDER THE DIRECTION OF THE/ COMMITTEE OF LEGAL HISTORY AND/ BIOGRAPHY/ GEORGE A. LAWRENCE, CHAIRMAN/ ORRIN N. CARTER/ FREDERIC B. CROSSLEY/ JUSTUS CHANCELLOR/ JOSEPH J. THOMPSON/ WILLIAM R. RAMSEY.

This is a reprint of the preceding item, with different title pages and added plates. It is expected that a volume covering the laws of Indiana Territory, 1801 to 1808, will be reprinted from the publication of the Illinois State Historical Library, now in press. See *post*, 11.

INDIANA TERRITORY

LAWS/ Adopted by the/ Governor and Judges/ of the/ Indiana Territory,/ at their First Sessions held at/ Saint Vincennes,/ January 12th, 1801./ Published by Authority./ *Franfort, (K.)/ Printed by William Hunter./* 1802.

Collation: Title, 1 leaf; Contents, 1 leaf; Laws, pp. [5]-31; Certificate, 1 p.

The copy in the Rauch collection belonged to Isaac Blackford, first Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of Indiana. It is bound with the other territorial laws from 1799 to 1803.

MESSAGE/ from the/ President of the United States,/ Transmitting the/ Laws/ of the/ Indiana Territory of the United States,/ from January, 1801, to February, 1802./ 14th February, 1802./ Read, and ordered to lie on the Table./ [*Washington: W. Duane.* 1802?]

Collation: Title, 1 leaf; President's note of presentation to Congress, 1 leaf; Laws, pp. [5]-32.

The laws thus transmitted were those adopted by the governor and judges of Indiana Territory at their first and second sessions.

LAWS/ Adopted by the/ Governor and Judges/ of the/ Indiana Territory,/ at their Second and Third Sessi-/ ons, Begun and Held at Saint/ Vincennes,/ 30th January, 1802, & February 16th,/ 1803./ Published by Authority./ *Vincennes, (I. T.)/ Printed by E. Stout./* 1804.

Collation: Title, 1 leaf; Laws, pp. [3]-89. Although the title does not so indicate, the laws of the fourth session are included in this volume, beginning on page 12.

This was the first book printed in the Territory of Indiana. The copy in the Rauch collection belonged to Isaac Blackford, first Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of Indiana. It is bound with the other territorial laws from 1799 to 1802.

MESSAGE/ from/ The President of the United States,/ Transmitting/ Certain Laws/ of/ the Indiana Territory/ of the United States./ For the/ Information of both Houses./ 7th December, 1803./ Received./ 8th December, 1803./ Read, and ordered to lie on the table./ [*Washington: W. Duane. 1803?*]

Collation: Title, 1 leaf; President's note of presentation to Congress, 1 leaf; Laws, pp. [5]-7.

The three laws thus transmitted were those adopted by the governor and judges of Indiana Territory at their third session.

LAWS/ for the Government/ of the/ District of/ Louisiana,/ Passed by the/ Governor and Judges/ of the/ Indiana Territory,/ At their First Session, Uegun and/ Held at Vincennes,/ On Monday the first day of October, 1804./ Published by Authority./ *Vincennes, (I. T.)/ Printed by, E. Stout./ 1804.*

Collation: Title, 1 leaf; Laws [3]-136; Certificate, 1 p.

This collation was made from a copy of this volume in the Illinois State Historical Library.

LAWS/ for the Government/ of the/ District of/ Louisiana,/ Passed by the/ Governor and Judges/ of the/ Indiana Territory,/ at their First Session, Uegun and/ Held at Vincennes,/ On Monday the first day of October, 1804./ Published by Authority./ *Vincennes, (I. T.)/ Printed by, E. Stout./ 1804.*

Collation: Title, 1 p.; Facsimile imprint, 1 p.; Laws, pp. [3]-136; Certificate, 1 p.

This facsimile reprint was issued by the Statute Law Book Company of Washington, D. C., in 1905.

LAWS/ Passed/ at the First Session/ of the/ General Assembly/ of the/ Indiana Territory,/ Begun and Held/ at the Borough of Vinceennes,/ on Monday the Twentyninth of July,/ In the Year 1805./ By Authority./ *Vincennes,/ Printed by Elihu Stout.*

Collation: Title, 1 leaf; Acts, pp. [3]-38.

This collation was made from a photostat in the Indiana State Library, taken from an original in the Illinois State Historical Library.

LAWS/ Passed/ at the Second Session/ of the/ First General Assembly/ of the/ Indiana Territory,/ Begun and Held/ at the Borough of Vincennes,/ on Monday the Third Day of November,/ In the Year Eighteen Hundred & Six./ By Authority./ *Vincennes,/ Printed by Elihu Stout.*

Collation: Title, 1 leaf; Acts, pp. [3]-30; Contents, p. [31]. Page 7 is misnumbered 6.

This collation was made from a photostat in the Indiana State Library, taken from an original in the Chicago Historical Society Library.

THE/ LAWS/ of the/ Indiana Territory/ 1801-1806, Inclusive./ *Paoli, Ind.:/ Throop & Clark,/ 1886.*

Collation: Title, 1 leaf; Preface, 1 leaf; Title to Laws, 1801, 1 leaf; Laws, etc., pp. [3]-[32]; Title to Laws, 1802-3, 1 leaf; Laws, etc., pp. [3]-89; 1 p. blank; Certificate, 1 p.; 1 p. blank; Title to Laws, 1805, 1 leaf; Laws, etc., pp. 3-111; Certificate, 1 p.; Title to Laws, 1806, 1 leaf; Laws, etc., pp. 3-70; 1 p. blank; Certificate, 1 p. The laws for 1805 and 1806 have an extra set of folios at the top of the pages to indicate the paging of the originals. The text of the compilation, 1801-1806, contains 308 pages.

LAWS/ of the/ Indiana Territory;/ Comprising those Acts formerly in force, and as Re-/ vised by Messrs. John Rice Jones, and John/ Johnson, and passed (after amendments) by/ the Legislature; and the Original Acts/ Passed at the First Session of the/ Second General Assembly of/ the said Territory./ Begun and held at the Borough of Vincennes, on the/ sixteenth day of August, Anno Domini/ eighteen hundred and seven./ Printed by Authority, and under the inspection of/ the Committee./ *Vincennes,/ Printed by Stout & Smoot,/ Printers to the Territory./ 1807.*

Collation: Title, 1 leaf; Laws formerly in force, pp. [3]-459; 1 p. blank; Title for present session, 1 leaf; Laws, pp. [463]-540;

1 p. blank; Certificate, 1 p.; 1 p. blank; Index, pp. [i]-xxviii. Page 441 is misnumbered 414. The title for the second section of the collection reads: ACTS/ ORIGINATED/ AT THE FIRST SESSION/ OF THE/ SECOND GENERAL ASSEMBLY/ OF THE/ INDIANA TERRITORY,/ BEGUN AUGUST 16TH, 1807./ In the second copy examined, the folio is wanting on page 8, and page 365 is misnumbered 6.

The copy in the Rauch collection belonged to Isaac Blackford, first Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of Indiana.

ACTS/ of/ Assembly/ Passed at the Second Session/ of the/ Second General Assembly/ of the/ Indiana Territory./ Begun and held at the Town of Vincennes, on/ Monday the twenty sixth day of September,/ A.D. one thousand eight hundred and eight./ Printed by Authority, and under the Inspection of/ the Committee./ Vincennes,/ Printed by Elihu Stout,/ Printer to the Territory./ 1808.

Collation: Title, 1 leaf; Laws, pp. [3]-45; 1 p. blank; Certificate, 1 p.; 1 p. blank; Index, pp. [i]-v.

[NOTE: A reprint of the laws of Indiana Territory from 1801 to 1808, to follow the volume of laws of the Northwest Territory, 1799-1800, reprinted by the Illinois State Historical Library in 1925, is now in press. The title page, as supplied from proof, reads: COLLECTIONS of the Illinois State Historical Library/ Volume XXI/ Law Series, Volume 2/ The Laws of/ Indiana Territory/ 1801-1808/ Edited with Introduction by/ Francis S. Philbrick/ Professor of Law, University of Illinois/ Published by the Trustees of/ the/ Illinois State Historical Library/ Springfield, Illinois.

It is expected that this volume, when issued, will be reprinted by the Illinois State Bar Association. The preceding volumes issued by the Illinois State Historical Library and the Illinois State Bar Association are listed on pages 6 and 7.]

ACTS/ of/ Assembly/ of the/ Indiana Territory./ Passed/ at the/ First Session/ of the/ Third General

Assembly/ of the/ said Territory,/ Begun and held at the Borough of Vincennes, on/ Monday the twelfth day of November, A.D./ one thousand eight hundred and ten./ Printed by Authority, and under the Inspection of the/ Committee./ *Vincennes,/ Printed by Elihu Stout,/ Printer to the Territory./ 1810.*

Collation: Title, 1 leaf; Ordinance, 1787, pp. [3]-8; Acts of Congress, pp. [9]-13; Acts of Assembly, pp. [14]-118; Errata, 1 p.; 1 p. blank; Index, [10] pp.; Certificate, 1 p.

ACTS/ of/ Assembly/ of the/ Indiana Territory,/ Passed/ at the/ Second Session/ of the/ Third General Assembly/ of the/ said Territory,/ Begun and held at the Borough of Vincennes, on/ Monday the eleventh day of November,/ A.D. one thousand eight hundred/ and eleven./ Printed by Authority./ *Vincennes:/ Printed by Elihu Stout,/ Printer to the Territory./ 1811.*

Collation: Title, 1 leaf; Acts, pp. [3]-96; Contents, pp. [i]-iii.

ACTS/ of/ Assembly/ of the/ Indiana Territory,/ Passed/ at the/ First Session/ of the/ Fourth General Assembly/ of the/ said Territory,/ Begun and held at the Borough of Vincennes, on/ Monday the first day of February, A./ D. one thousand eight hun-/ dred and thirteen./ Printed by Authority./ *Vincennes:/ Printed by Elihu Stout,/ Printer to the Territory./ 1813.*

Collation: Title, 1 leaf; Acts, pp. [3]-90; 1 p. blank; Contents, pp. [92]-[93]. Page 22 is followed by a folded unnumbered table, and the next page, which correctly follows the text of page 22, is numbered 26, bringing the even-numbered pages to the right, and the odd-numbered pages to the left for the remainder of the text.

ACTS of Assembly/ of the/ Indiana Territory,/ Passed at the/ Second Session/ of the/ Fourth General Assembly/ of said Territory,/ Begun and Held at the Town of Corydon, on Mon-/ day the Sixth Day of December, A.D. One Thou-/ sand Eight Hundred and Thirteen./ *Madison:/ Printed by Hendricks and Camron,/ Printers to the Territory./ 1814.*

Collation: Title, 1 leaf; Act (Militia), pp. [3]-67; 1 p. blank; Index to Militia Law, pp. [69]-71; 1 p. blank; Acts (Civil and Criminal), pp. [73]-159; Resolutions, pp. [160]-164; Index, pp. [165]-168.

ACTS/ of/ Assembly/ of the/ Indiana Territory,/ Passed at the/ First Session/ of the/ Fifth General Assembly/ of said Territory,/ Begun and Held at the Town of Corydon, on Mon-/ day the Fifteenth Day of August, A.D. One/ Thousand Eight Hundred and Fourteen./ *Madison:/ Printed by Jacob Rhoads./ Printer to the Territory./ 1814.*

Collation: Title, 1 leaf; Acts, pp. [3]-90; Resolutions, pp. [91]-93; List of acts, pp. [94]-95; 1 p. blank; Index, pp. [97]-104.

A/ COMPEND/ of the/ Acts of Indiana/ From the Year Eighteen Hundred and Seven/ until that of Eighteen Hundred and Four-/ teen, Both Inclusive./ By Gen'l W. Johnston,/ of Vincennes./ *From the Press of Elihu Stout, Vincennes./ 1817.*

Collation: Title, 1 leaf; Preface, 1 p.; Recommendation, p. iv; 1 p. blank; Introduction, p. vi; Compend, pp. 7-195; 1 p. blank; Index, pp. i-iii. Page 89 is misnumbered 98.

ACTS of Assembly/ of the/ Indiana Territory,/ Passed at the/ Second Session/ of the/ Fifth General Assembly/ of said Territory,/ Begun and Held at the Town of Corydon, on Monday the/ Fourth Day of December, A.D. One Thousand Eight Hun-/ dred and Fifteen./ *Lexington:/ Printed by Jacob Rhoads,/ Printer to the Territory./ 1816.*

Collation: Title, 1 leaf; Acts, pp. [3]-110; Title, Resolutions, 1 p.; 1 p. blank; Joint Resolutions, pp. [113]-117; Appendix, pp. [118]-121; Index, pp. [122]-128. The title to the Resolutions reads: RESOLUTIONS,/ PASSED AT THE/ SECOND SESSION/ OF THE/ FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY/ OF THE/ INDIANA TERRITORY.

In the second copy examined, pages 33-40 are bound in twice.

STATE OF INDIANA

THE/ CONSTITUTION/ of the/ State of Indiana./
Adopted in Convention, at Corydon, on the Twenty-/
ninth Day of June, in the Year of our Lord/ Eighteen
Hundred and Sixteen, and of/ the Independence of the
United/ States, the Fortieth./ *Louisville:/ Printed by
Butler & Wood./ 1816.*

Collation: Title, 1 leaf; Constitution, pp. [3]-25; 1 p. blank;
Ordinance ratifying Enabling Act, p. [27].

This collation was made from a copy of this volume belonging
to Mr. Clyde C. Rickes, of Indianapolis.

[3]/ CONSTITUTION/ of/ the State of Indiana:/
Adopted/ in Convention,/ at/ Corydon, on the 29th of
June, A.D. 1816,/ and of the/ Independence of the
United States,/ the/ Fortieth./ December 6, 1816./
Printed by order of the House of Representatives of the/
United States./ *Washington:/ Printed by William A.
Davis./ 1816.*

Collation: Title, 1 leaf; Constitution, pp. [3]-35; Ordinance
ratifying Enabling Act, pp. 35-36.

This collation was made from a copy of this volume belonging
to Mr. Clyde C. Rickes, of Indianapolis.

THE/ CONSTITUTION/ of the/ State of Indiana,/
Adopted in Convention, at Corydon, on the twenty-/ ninth
day of June, in the year of our Lord one/ thousand eight
hundred and sixteen, and of/ the Independence of the
United States,/ the fortieth./ *Vincennes:/ Printed by
Elihu Stout,/ 1816.*

Collation: Title, 1 leaf; Constitution, pp. [3]-27; Ordinance
ratifying Enabling Act, p. [28].

This collation was made from a copy of this volume in the
Library of Congress.

LAWS/ of the/ State of Indiana,/ Passed at the First Session of the/ General Assembly,/ Held at Corydon on the first Monday in November in the/ Year One Thousand Eight Hundred and Sixteen./ (By Authority.)/ *Corydon:/ Printed and Published by Cox and Nelson,/ Printers to the State./* 1817.

Collation: Title, 1 leaf; Laws, pp. [3]-247; Resolutions, pp. [248]-252; Index, pp. [253]-273; Errata, 1 p. Page 232 is misnumbered 220.

The copy in the Rauch collection contains the autograph of Governor Alvin P. Hovey on the flyleaf, and has the autograph of George R. Sullivan on the title page.

LAWS/ of the/ State of Indiana,/ Passed and Published, at the Second Session/ of the/ General Assembly,/ Held at Corydon, on the first Monday in December, in the/ Year One Thousand Eight Hundred and Seventeen./ (By Authority.)/ *Corydon:/ Printed and Published by A. and J. Brandon,/ Printers to the State./* 1818.

Collation: Title, 1 leaf; Laws, pp. [3]-381; 1 p. blank; Index, pp. [i]-xxviii; Table facing p. 257. There are no pages numbered 269 and 270, the text of page 271 correctly following on that of 268. In the second copy examined, page 118 is misnumbered 119, and page 119 is misnumbered 118.

SPECIAL Acts,/ Passed and Published at the Second Session/ of the/ General Assembly/ of the/ State of Indiana/ Held at Corydon on the first Monday in December, in the/ Year One Thousand Eight Hundred and Eighteen./ [By Authority.]/ *Corydon;/ Printed and Published by A. & J. Brandon,/ Printers to the State/* 1818.

Collation: Title, 1 leaf; Laws, pp. [3]-120; Joint Resolution, pp. 120-22; Treasurer's report, 1 p.; Index, pp. [i]-iii. The date on the title page should be One Thousand, Eight Hundred and Seventeen. Page 39 is misnumbered 29, and page 48 is misnumbered 49. In the second copy examined, page 39 is correctly numbered.

The copy in the Rauch collection contains the autograph of Governor Alvin P. Hovey on the flyleaf.

AN ACT/ Regulating the Militia/ of the/ State of Indiana,/ [Pa]ssed at the second Session of th[e General Assem]bly;/ To Which is Annexed, an Abridgment of the/ Rules and Regulations for the Field Ex-/ ercise and Manoeuvres of Infantry./ [By Authority.]/ *Corydon, Ind./ Printed by A. & J. Brandon,/ Printers to the State,/ 1818.*

Collation: Title, 1 leaf; Act, pp. 3-67; Joint Resolution, pp. 67-68; Rules and Regulations for Field Exercise, pp. [69]-154. Page 63 is misnumbered 36; pages 129-32 are misnumbered 139, 140, 141, 141. The title page is mutilated.

This collation was made from the copy of the volume in the Borden Museum, Borden, Indiana.

LAWS/ of the/ State of Indiana,/ Passed and Published at the Third Session/ of the/ General Assembly,/ Held at Corydon on the first Monday in Decem-/ ber, in the Year One Thousand Eight/ Hundred and Eighteen./ To which is Prefixed/ the Constitution/ of the/ State of Indiana,/ and the Act of Congress authorising a/ State Government./ (By Authority.)/ *Corydon:/ Printed and Published by A. and J. Brandon,/ Printers to the State./ 1819.*

Collation: Title, 1 leaf; Act of Congress, pp. [3]-8; Constitution, pp. [9]-38; Ordinance ratifying Enabling Act, pp. [39]; 1 p. blank; List of acts and resolutions, pp. [41]-[44]; Laws, pp. [45]-140; Resolutions, pp. [141]-146; Treasurer's report, pp. [147]-148; Errata of the laws passed at the second session, pp. [149]-151; Certificate, 1 p.; Index, pp. [i]-x.

THE/ LAWS/ of the/ State of Indiana,/ Passed at the Fourth Session of the/ General Assembly,/ Held at Corydon on the first Monday in Decem-/ ber in the Year One Thousand Eight/ Hundred and Nineteen./ (By Authority.)/ *Jeffersonville:/ Printed and Published by Isaac Cox,/ Printer of the State Laws./ 1820.*

Collation: Title, 1 leaf; Laws, pp. [3]-159; Joint Resolutions, pp. 159-63; 1 p. blank; Index, pp. [165]-180.

LAWS/ of the/ State of Indiana,/ Passed and Published at the Fifth Session/ of the/ General Assembly,/ Held at Corydon, on the Twenty-seventh of November/ in the Year One Thousand Eight Hundred/ and Twenty./ (By Authority.)/ *Corydon:/ Printed and Published by Brandon and Co:/ Printers to the State./ 1820-21.*

Collation: Title, 1 leaf; Laws, pp. [3]-130; Joint Resolutions, pp. [131]-144; Treasurer's report, pp. [145]-151; 1 p. blank; Index, pp. [i]-xvi.

LAWS/ of the/ State of Indiana,/ Passed and Published at the Sixth Session/ of the/ General Assembly,/ Held at Corydon, on the Nineteenth of November,/ in the Year One Thousand Eight Hundred/ and Twenty-one./ By Authority,/ *New Albany:/ Patrick and Wheelock,/ State Printers./ 1821-'22.*

Collation: Title, 1 leaf; Laws, pp. [3]-169; Joint Resolutions, pp. 169-77; 1 p. blank; Index, pp. [i]-xiii.

THE/ MILITIA Law/ of the/ State of Indiana,/ Passed at the Session of 1821-22./ *New Albany,/ Printed by Patrick and Wheelock,/ 1822.*

Collation: Title, 1 leaf; Act, pp. [3]-76; Index, pp. 76-[84].

The militia law was not included in the printing of the other session laws.

LAWS/ of the/ State of Indiana,/ Passed and Published, at the Seventh Session/ of the/ General Assembly,/ Held at Corydon, on the first Monday in December,/ in the Year One Thousand Eight Hundred and Twen-/ ty Two./ [By Authority.]/ *Corydon:/ Printed by Carpenter and Douglass./ 1823.*

Collation: Title, 1 leaf; Laws, pp. [3]-148; Joint Resolutions, pp. 149-54; Reports, pp. 155-65; Contents, pp. [i]-vi; Index, pp. [i]-viii. Page 63 is misnumbered 53.

THE/ REVISED Laws/ of/ Indiana,/ Adopted and Enacted by the/ General Assembly/ at their Eighth Ses-

sion./ To which are Prefixed,/ the Declaration of Independence, the Constitution of/ the U.S., the Constitution of the State of Indiana,/ and/ Sundry other Documents, connected with the Political History of/ the Territory and State of Indiana./ Arranged and Published by/ Authority of the General Assembly./ *Corydon:/ Printed by Carpenter and Douglass./ 1824.*

Collation: Title, 1 leaf; Declaration of Independence, pp. [3]-7; Constitution of United States, pp. 7-20; Acts of Virginia, etc., pp. 20-34; Constitution of Indiana, pp. 34-54; Revised Laws, pp. [55]-428; Index, pp. [429]-438.

SPECIAL Acts/ Passed at the Eighth Session/ of the/ General Assembly/ of/ the State of Indiana,/ Begun and Held at Corydon, on Monday, the First Day/ of December, Eighteen Hundred and Twenty Three./ Published by Authority./ *Corydon, Ia./ Printed by Carpenter & Douglass./ 1824.*

Collation: Title, 1 leaf; Acts, pp. [3]-108; Joint Resolutions, pp. [109]-116; Reports, pp. 117-23; Contents, pp. 124-28.

AN ACT/ Regulating the Militia,/ of the/ State of Indiana,/ Passed at the Eighth Session of the General Assembly./ Published by Authority./ *Corydon, Ia./ Printed by Carpenter & Douglass:/ 1824.*

Collation: Title, 1 leaf; Act, pp. [3]-51; Index, pp. 52-54. Page [36] is blank; page [37] is a folded unnumbered table, and pages 38-40 are also tables.

The militia law was not included in the printing of the other session laws.

LAWS/ of the/ State of Indiana,/ Passed and Published, at the Ninth Session/ of the/ General Assembly,/ Held at Indianapolis, on the second Monday in January, in the/ Year One Thousand Eight Hundred and Twenty-five./ By Authority./ *Indianapolis:/ Douglass and Maguire, printers./ 1825.*

Collation: Title, 1 leaf; Laws, pp. [3]-101; Joint Resolutions, pp. 102-10; Reports, pp. [111]-114; Index, pp. [115]-118.

LAWS/ of the/ State of Indiana,/ Passed and Published at the Tenth Session/ of the/ General Assembly,/ Held at Indianapolis, on the first Monday in December,/ One Thousand Eight Hundred and Twenty-five./ By Authority./ *Indianapolis:/ Douglass and Maguire, printers./* 1826.

Collation: Title, 1 leaf; Laws, pp. [3]-85; Joint Resolutions, pp. 86-93; Appendix, pp. [94]-99; Reports, pp. [100]-103; Index, pp. [104]-106.

LAWS/ of the/ State of Indiana,/ Passed and Published at the Eleventh Session/ of the/ General Assembly,/ Held at Indianapolis, on the first Monday in December, One Thou- sand Eight Hundred and Twenty-six./ By Authority./ *Indianapolis:/ John Douglass, printer./* 1827.

Collation: Title, 1 leaf; Laws, pp. [3]-105; Reports, pp. [106]-109; Appendix, pp. [110]-115; Index, pp. [116]-119.

LAWS/ of the/ State of Indiana,/ Passed and Published at the Twelfth Session/ of the/ General Assembly,/ Held at Indianapolis,/ on the first Monday in December, One Thousand Eight/ Hundred and Twenty-seven./ By Authority./ *Indianapolis:/ Smith and Bolton, State Printers./* 1828.

Collation: Title, 1 leaf; Laws, pp. [3]-134; Joint Resolutions, pp. [135]-145; Extracts from Potawatomi treaty and Acts of Congress, pp. 146-47; 1 p. blank; Reports, pp. 149-52; Index to Acts, pp. [153]-158; Index, pp. [159]-165.

LAWS/ of the/ State of Indiana,/ Passed and Published at the Thirteenth Session/ of the/ General Assembly,/ Held at Indianapolis,/ on the first Monday in December, One Thousand Eight/ Hundred and Twenty-eight./ By Authority./ *Indianapolis:/ Smith and Bolton, State Printers./* 1829.

Collation: Title, 1 leaf; Laws, pp. [3]-145; Joint Resolutions, pp. 146-57; Reports, pp. 158-61; Index to acts, pp. [162]-168; Index, pp. [169]-179.

LAWS/ of the/ State of Indiana,/ Passed and Published at the Fourteenth Session/ of the/ General Assembly,/ Held at Indianapolis,/ on the first Monday in December, One Thousand Eight/ Hundred and Twenty-nine./ By Authority./ *Indianapolis, Ind./ Smith and Bolton, State Printers./ 1830.*

Collation: Title, 1 leaf; Laws, pp. [3]-170; Joint Resolutions, pp. 170-81; Appendix, p. 182; Reports, pp. 183-87; Index to acts and resolutions (List), pp. [188]-195; 1 p. blank; Index, pp. [197]-205. Page 195 is misnumbered 105.

THE/ REVISED Laws/ of/ Indiana,/ in Which are Comprised all such Acts of a General/ Nature as are in Force in said State;/ Adopted and Enacted by the/ General Assembly/ at their Fifteenth Session./ To which are Prefixed/ the Declaration of Independence, the Constitution of/ the U.S., the Constitution of the State of Indiana,/ and/ Sundry other Documents, connected with the Political History/ of the Territory and State of Indiana./ Arranged and Published by/ Authority of the General Assembly./ *Indianapolis:/ Printed by Douglass and Maguire./ 1831.*

Collation: Title, 1 leaf; Declaration of Independence, pp. [3]-7; Constitution of the United States, pp. 7-20; Acts of Virginia, etc., pp. 20-23; Ordinance, 1787, pp. 24-29; Acts of Congress, pp. 30-37; Ordinance ratifying Enabling Act, pp. 37-38; Constitution of Indiana, pp. 38-58; Extract on Naturalization, pp. 59-64; Revised Laws, pp. [65]-536; Certificate, 1 p.; 1 p. blank; Explanation of terms, pp. [539]-540; Index, pp. [541]-596.

SPECIAL Acts/ Passed at the Fifteenth Session/ of the/ General Assembly/ of the/ State of Indiana,/ Begun and Held at Indianapolis, on Monday the Sixth Day of December,/ A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Thirty./ By Authority./ *Indianapolis:/ Printed by Douglass and Maguire./ 1831.*

Collation: Title, 1 leaf; Acts, pp. [3]-169; Joint Resolutions, pp. [170]-196; Reports, pp. 197-200; Index, pp. [201]-206. Page 97 is unnumbered in the Rauch copy.

AN ACT/ to Organize and Regulate the/ Militia/ of the/ State of Indiana./ Passed at the Fifteenth Session of the General Assembly./ Published by Authority./ *Indianapolis:/ Printed by Douglass and Maguire./* 1831.

Collation: Title, 1 leaf; Act, pp. [3]-46; Certificate, 1 p.; 1 p. blank; Appendix, pp. [49]-68; Index, pp. [69]-74. An unnumbered folded table faces page 28; pages 31-33 are also tables; there are no pages numbered 29 and 30, but the text of page 34 correctly follows the tables.

The militia law was not included in the printing of the other session laws.

LAWS/ of the/ State of Indiana,/ Passed and Published at the Sixteenth Session/ of the/ General Assembly,/ Held at Indianapolis, on the first Monday in December, One Thou-/ sand Eight Hundred and Thirty-one./ By Authority./ *Indianapolis./ Printed by Douglass and Maguire./* 1832.

Collation: Title, 1 leaf; Laws, pp. [3]-271; Joint Resolutions, pp. [272]-288; Reports, pp. 289-92; Index, pp. [293]-302.

LAWS/ of the/ State of Indiana,/ Passed and Published at the Seventeenth Session,/ of the/ General Assembly,/ Held at Indianapolis, on the first Monday in December, One Thou-/ sand Eight Hundred and Thirty-two./ By Authority./ *Indianapolis:/ Printed by Douglass and Maguire./* 1833.

Collation: Title, 1 leaf; Laws, pp. [3]-231; Joint Resolutions, pp. [232]-248; Reports, pp. 249-52; Index, pp. [253]-264. Page 117 is misnumbered 116. In the second copy examined, the folio for page 8 is wanting.

LAWS/ of the/ State of Indiana,/ Passed and Published at the Eighteenth Session/ of the/ General Assembly,/ Held at Indianapolis, on the first Monday in

December, One Thou- sand Eight Hundred and Thirty-
three./ By Authority./ *Indianapolis:/ Printed by*
Douglass and Maguire./ 1834.

Collation: Title, 1 leaf; Laws, pp. [3]-358; Joint Resolutions, pp. 359-77; Certificate, 1 p.; Reports, pp. 379-82; Index, pp. [383]-393. Page number 20 is reversed to 02, and 36 to 63; page number 78 is inverted. In the second copy examined, folios 20 and 36 are correct, but the folio for page 69 is reversed to 96, and for page 120, to 021.

LAWS/ of a/ General Nature/ Passed and Published
at the Nineteenth Session/ of the/ General Assembly/ of
the/ State of Indiana,/ Held at Indianapolis, on the first
Monday in December, One Thou- sand Eight Hundred
and Thirty-four./ By Authority./ *Indianapolis:/*
Printed by Morrison and Bolton./ 1835.

Collation: Title, 1 leaf; Laws, pp. [3]-91; Certificate, 1 p.; Index, pp. [93]-96. There are folded tables facing pages 21 and 22.

LAWS/ of a/ Local Nature,/ Passed and Published at
the Nineteenth Session/ of the/ General Assembly/ of
the/ State of Indiana,/ Held at Indianapolis, on the first
Monday in December, One/ Thousand Eight Hundred
and Thirty-four./ By Authority./ *Indianapolis:/*
Printed by Morrison and Bolton./ 1835.

Collation: Title, 1 leaf; Laws, pp. [3]-254; Memorials, Resolutions, pp. [255]-281; 1 p. blank; Reports, pp. [283]-287; 1 p. blank; Index, pp. [289]-299.

LAWS/ of a/ General Nature/ Passed and Published
at the Twentieth Session/ of the/ General Assembly/ of
the/ State of Indiana,/ Held at Indianapolis, on the first
Monday in December, One/ Thousand Eight Hundred and
Thirty-five./ By Authority./ *Indianapolis:/ Printed*
by Bolton and Emmons./ 1836.

Collation: Title, 1 leaf; Laws, pp. [3]-95; Certificate, 1 p.; Index, pp. [97]-99. In the second copy examined, the folio for page 70 is inverted.

LAWS/ of a/ Local Nature,/ Passed and Published at the Twentieth Session/ of the/ General Assembly/ of the/ State of Indiana,/ Held at Indianapolis, on the first Monday in December, One/ Thousand Eight Hundred and Thirty-five./ By Authority./ *Indianapolis:/ Printed by Bolton and Emmons./* 1836.

Collation: Title, 1 leaf; Laws, pp. [3]-383; Memorials, Resolutions, pp. [384]-399; Certificate, 1 p.; Reports, pp. 401-6; Index, pp. [407]-414.

LAWS/ of a/ General Nature/ Passed and Published at the Twenty-first Session/ of the/ General Assembly/ of the/ State of Indiana,/ Held at Indianapolis, on the first Monday in December, One Thousand/ Eight Hundred and Thirty-six./ By Authority./ *Indianapolis:/ Printed by Douglass and Noel./* 1837.

Collation: Title, 1 leaf; Laws, pp. [3]-115; 1 p. blank; Index, pp. [117]-118. Page 93 is misnumbered 92.

LAWS/ of a/ Local Nature,/ Passed and Published/ at/ the Twenty First Session of the/ General Assembly/ of the/ State of Indiana;/ Held at Indianapolis; on the first Monday in December, one/ thousand eight hundred and thirty six./ By Authority./ *Indianapolis:/ Bolton & Livingston, Printers./* 1837.

Collation: Title, 1 leaf; Laws, pp. [3]-427; 1 p. blank; Resolutions, pp. [429]-447; Certificate, 1 p.; Reports, pp. [449]-454; Index, pp. [455]-460. Page 206 is misnumbered 106; page 340 is misnumbered 334, page 424 is misnumbered 224, and page 454 is misnumbered 434.

THE/ REVISED Statutes/ of the/ State of Indiana,/ Adopted and Enacted by the General Assembly at their/ Twenty-second Session./ To which are Prefixed/ the Declaration of Independence, the Constitution of the U.S., the/ Constitution of the State of Indiana,/ and Sundry other Documents connected with the Political History of the/ Territory and State of Indiana./ Arranged, Com-

piled, and Published by/ Authority of the General Assembly./ *Indianapolis:/ Douglass & Noel, Printers./* 1838.

Collation: Title, 1 leaf; Declaration of Independence, pp. [3]-6; Constitution of United States, pp. 7-19; Acts of Virginia, pp. 19-22; Ordinance, 1787, pp. 23-28; Acts of Congress, pp. 28-35; Ordinance ratifying Enabling Act, p. 35; Constitution of Indiana, pp. 36-54; Extract on Naturalization, pp. 54-58; Revised Statutes, pp. [59]-604; Certificate, 1 p.; 1 p. blank; Explanation of technical terms, etc., pp. [607]-608; Index, pp. [609]-667. Page 388 is unnumbered; page 291 is misnumbered 271. In the second copy examined, the folio of page 7 is wanting, and that for page 388 is correct.

LAWS/ of a Local Nature,/ Passed and Published at the Twenty-second Session of the/ General Assembly of the State of Indiana,/ Held at Indianapolis on the first Monday in December, 1837./ By Authority./ *Indianapolis:/ Douglass & Noel, Printers./* 1838.

Collation: Title, 1 leaf; Laws, pp. [3]-438; Joint Resolutions, pp. [439]-453; Certificate, 1 p.; Reports, pp. 455-62; Index, pp. [463]-476. Page 219 is misnumbered 119; page 303 is misnumbered 203. In the second copy examined, the signature including pages 281-88 is in incorrect order. The paging reads: 280, 283, 284, 281, 282, 287, 288, 285, 286, 289. A blank page follows page 453.

LAWS/ of a/ General Nature/ Passed and Published at the Twenty-third Session/ of the/ General Assembly/ of the State of Indiana./ Held at Indianapolis, on the first Monday in December, One Thousand/ Eight Hundred and Thirty-eight./ By Authority./ *Indianapolis:/ Douglass & Noel, State Printers./* 1839.

Collation: Title, 1 leaf; Laws, pp. [3]-94; Index, pp. [95]-103. Pages 9-16 are bound in twice, and pages 17-24 are wanting. These laws are bound with the local laws for the session. In the second copy examined, pages 9-24 are correctly bound.

LAWS/ of a/ Local Nature/ Passed and Published at the Twenty-third Session/ of the/ General Assembly/ of the State of Indiana./ Held at Indianapolis, on the

first Monday in December, One Thousand/ Eight Hundred and Thirty-eight./ By Authority./ *Indianapolis:/ Douglass & Noel, State Printers./* 1839.

Collation: Title, 1 leaf; Laws, pp. [3]-340; Memorials, Resolutions, pp. [341]-359; Reports, pp. 360-67; 1 p. blank; Index, pp. [369]-379.

LAWS/ of/ a General Nature,/ Passed at the/ Twenty-fourth Session/ of/ the General Assembly/ of the/ State of Indiana,/ Commenced at Indianapolis,/ on Monday, the Second Day of December,/ 1839./ By Authority./ *Indianapolis:/ J. Livingston, Printer./* 1840.

Collation: Title, 1 leaf; Laws, pp. [3]-92; Reports (Auditor's), pp. [93]-124, and folded table facing page 124; (Treasurer's), pp. [125]-132 [133]; 1 p. blank; Index, pp. [135]-141 [142]. An unnumbered page bearing a joint resolution in relation to contractors, etc., is bound in facing page 80; Chapters LXV-LXVII (pp. 82-85) are joint resolutions. Chapter LXVIII (pp. 85-90), is from Gordon's Digest of the Laws of the United States "on the mode of surveying the public lands." Page 109 is blank; pages 129-42 are misnumbered 128-41.

LAWS/ of a/ Local Nature/ Passed and Published at the Twenty-fourth Session/ of the/ General Assembly/ of the State of Indiana./ Held at Indianapolis, on the first Monday in December, One Thousand/ Eight Hundred and Thirty-nine./ By Authority./ *Indianapolis:/ Douglass and Noel, State Printers./* 1840.

Collation: Title, 1 leaf; Laws, pp. [3]-242; Joint Resolutions, pp. [243]-256; Index, pp. [257]-267. Page 212 is misnumbered 192.

GENERAL Laws/ of the/ State of Indiana,/ Passed at the/ Twenty-fifth Session/ of the/ General Assembly./ Begun on the first Monday in December, A.D. 1840./ By Authority./ *Indianapolis:/ Douglass & Noel, State Printers./* 1841.

Collation: Title, 1 leaf; Laws, pp. [3]-223; Joint Resolutions, pp. [224]-226; Reports, pp. [227]-236; Index, pp. [237]-245.

LAWS/ of a/ Local Nature,/ Passed and Published/
at the Twenty-fifth Session of the General Assembly/ of
the/ State of Indiana./ Held at Indianapolis, on the
first Monday in December, One/ Thousand Eight Hun-
dred and Forty./ By Authority./ *Indianapolis:/ Doug-
lass and Noel, Printers./ 1841.*

Collation: Title, 1 leaf; Laws, pp. [3]-213; Joint Resolutions, pp. [214]-224; Index, pp. [225]-232. In the second copy examined, page 155 has no folio.

GENERAL Laws/ of the State of Indiana,/ Passed
at the/ Twenty-sixth Session/ of the/ General Assem-
bly./ Begun on the first Monday in December, A.D.,
1841./ By Authority./ *Indianapolis:/ Dowling and
Cole, State Printers./ 1842.*

Collation: Title, 1 leaf; Laws, pp. [3]-175, 177; Certificate, p. [176]; Extracts from Auditor's Report, pp. 178-80; Index, pp. [181]-189.

LAWS/ of a/ Local Nature,/ Passed and Published/
at the Twenty-sixth Session of the General Assembly/ of
the/ State of Indiana,/ Held at Indianapolis on the first
Monday in December, One/ Thousand Eight Hundred
and Forty-one./ By Authority./ *Indianapolis:/ Dowl-
ing and Cole, State Printers./ 1842.*

Collation: Title, 1 leaf; Laws, pp. [3]-177; Joint Resolutions, pp. [178]-189; Certificate, 1 p.; Index, pp. [191]-203.

GENERAL LAWS/ of the/ State of Indiana,/ Passed
at the/ Twenty-seventh Session/ of the/ General Assem-
bly,/ Begun on the first Monday in December, A.D.,
1842./ By Authority./ *Indianapolis:/ Dowling & Cole,
State Printers./ 1843.*

Collation: Title, 1 leaf; Laws, pp. [3]-114; Joint Resolutions, pp. 115-16; Extract from Auditor's Report, pp. 117-20; Act of Congress for apportionment of Representatives, p. 121; Census of Indiana, 1840, p. 122; Index, pp. [123]-128. Pages between 72 and 81 are out of order; the paging reads: 72, 75, 76, 73, 74, 79, 80, 77, 78, 81. In the second copy examined, the signature including pages 73-81 is in correct order.

LAWS/ of a/ Local Nature,/ Passed and Published/
at the Twenty-seventh Session of the General Assembly/
of the/ State of Indiana,/ Held at Indianapolis on the
first Monday in December, One/ Thousand Eight Hun-
dred and Forty-two./ By Authority./ *Indianapolis:/*
Dowling & Cole, State Printers./ 1843.

Collation: Title, 1 leaf; Laws, pp. [3]-182; Joint Resolutions,
pp. [183]-208; Index, pp. [209]-224.

THE/ REVISED Statutes/ of the/ State of Indiana,/ *Alfred Hogston*
Passed at the/ Twenty-seventh Session of the General
Assembly; also Sun-/ dry Acts, Ordinances, and Public
Documents directed/ to be Printed with the said Stat-
utes:/ To which are Prefixed/ the Constitutions/ of the/
United States and of the State of Indiana./ Printed and
Published according to Law./ *Indianapolis:/ John*
Dowling and R. Cole, State Printers./ 1843.

Collation: Half title, 1 leaf; Title, 1 leaf; Preface, pp. [v]-vii;
Contents to preliminary matter, 1 p.; Analysis, pp. [ix]-xxii; Cer-
tificate and Errata, 1 p.; 1 p. blank; Constitution of United States,
pp. [1]-15; Acts of Virginia, pp. 16-19; Ordinance, 1787, pp. 20-26;
Acts of Congress, pp. 26-36; Ordinance ratifying Enabling Act,
pp. 36-37; Constitution of Indiana, pp. [38]-64; Revised Statutes,
pp. [65]-1029; Statutes not Revised but Continuing in Force, pp.
1030-43; Acts (twenty-seventh session) Contravening certain Pro-
visions of said Statutes, pp. 1044-53; Appendix, pp. [1054]-1059;
Explanation of technical terms, pp. [1060]-1061; 1 p. blank; Index,
pp. [1063]-1114. The half title reads: REVISED STATUTES/ OF THE/
STATE OF INDIANA.

GENERAL Laws/ of the/ State of Indiana,/ Passed at
the/ Twenty-eighth Session/ of the/ General Assembly,/ *John*
Begun on the first Monday in December, A.D. 1843./ By
Authority./ *Indianapolis:/ Dowling and Cole, State*
Printers./ 1844.

Collation: Title, 1 leaf; Laws, pp. [3]-122; Certificate, 1 p.;
1 p. blank; Extract from Auditor's report, pp. 125-28; Index, pp.
[129]-135.

LAWS/ of a/ Local Nature,/ Passed and Published/ at the Twenty-eighth Session of the General Assembly/ of the/ State of Indiana,/ Held at Indianapolis on the first Monday in December, One/ Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty-three./ By Authority./ *Indianapolis:/ Dowling and Cole, State Printers./* 1844.

Collation: Title, 1 leaf; Laws, pp. [3]-165; Joint Resolutions, pp. [166]-180; Certificate, 1 p.; 1 p. blank; Index, pp. [183]-196. Page 150 is misnumbered 130.

GENERAL Laws/ of/ the State of Indiana,/ Passed at/ the Twenty-ninth Session/ of the/ General Assembly,/ Begun on the first Monday in December, 1844./ By Authority./ *Indianapolis:/ J. P. Chapman, State Printer./* 1845.

Collation: Title, 1 leaf; Laws, pp. [3]-89; 1 p. blank; Joint Resolutions, pp. [91]-92; Certificate, 1 p.; 1 p. blank; Extract from Auditor's report, pp. [95]-101; 1 p. blank; Index, pp. [103]-112.

LAWS/ of a/ Local Nature,/ Passed and Published/ at the Twenty-ninth Session of the General Assembly/ of the/ State of Indiana,/ Begun at Indianapolis/ on the/ first Monday in December, 1844./ By Authority./ *Indianapolis:/ J. P. Chapman, State Printer./* 1845.

Collation: Title, 1 leaf; Laws, pp. [3]-288; Joint Resolutions, pp. [289]-301; Certificate, 1 p.; Index, pp. [303]-314.

GENERAL Laws/ of/ the State of Indiana,/ Passed at/ the Thirtieth Session/ of the/ General Assembly,/ Begun on the first Monday in December, 1845./ By Authority./ *Indianapolis:/ J. P. Chapman, State Printer./* 1846.

Collation: Title, 1 leaf; Laws, pp. [3]-118; Joint Resolutions, pp. [119]-135; Certificate, 1 p.; Extract from Auditor's report, pp. [137]-166; Index, pp. [167]-176.

LOCAL Laws/ of/ the State of Indiana,/ Passed at/ the Thirtieth Session/ of the/ General Assembly,/ Begun

on the first Monday in December, 1845./ By Authority./ *Indianapolis:/ J. P. Chapman, State Printer./ 1846.*

Collation: Title, 1 leaf; Laws, pp. [3]-365; Certificate, 1 p.; Index, pp. [367]-383.

GENERAL Laws/ of/ the State of Indiana,/ Passed at/ the Thirty-first Session/ of the/ General Assembly,/ Begun on the first Monday in December, 1846./ By Authority./ *Indianapolis:/ J. P. Chapman, State Printer./ 1847.*

Collation: Title, 1 leaf; Laws, pp. [3]-145; 1 p. blank; Joint Resolutions, pp. [147]-164; Certificate, 1 p.; 1 p. blank; Extract from Auditor's report, pp. [167]-173; 1 p. blank; Index, pp. [175]-187.

LOCAL Laws/ of/ the State of Indiana,/ Passed at/ the Thirty-first Session/ of the/ General Assembly,/ Begun on the first Monday in December, 1846./ By Authority./ *Indianapolis:/ J. P. Chapman, State Printer./ 1847.*

Collation: Title, 1 leaf; Laws, pp. [3]-427; 1 p. blank; Joint Resolutions, pp. [429]-431; Certificate, 1 p.; Index, pp. [433]-446.

GENERAL Laws/ of the/ State of Indiana,/ Passed at the/ Thirty-second Session/ of the/ General Assembly./ By Authority./ *Indianapolis:/ John D. Defrees, State Printer./ 1848.*

Collation: Title, 1 leaf; Laws, pp. [3]-100; Joint Resolutions, pp. [101]-125; Certificate, 1 p.; Extract from Auditor's report, pp. [127]-148; Index, pp. [149]-156.

LOCAL Laws/ of the/ State of Indiana,/ Passed at the/ Thirty-second Session/ of the/ General Assembly./ By Authority./ *Indianapolis:/ John D. Defrees, State Printer./ 1848.*

Collation: Title, 1 p.; Press imprint, 1 p.; Laws, pp. [3]-636; Certificate, 1 p.; 1 p. blank; Index, pp. [639]-664; Errata, 1 p. Page 132 is misnumbered 133. Pages 569-72 are in the wrong order; the paging reads: 568, 571, 572, 569, 570, 573. Page 606 is misnumbered 506.

GENERAL Laws/ of the/ State of Indiana,/ Passed at the/ Thirty-third Session/ of the/ General Assembly./ By Authority./ *Indianapolis:/ John D. Defrees, State Printer./ 1849.*

Collation: Title, 1 leaf; Laws, pp. [3]-150; Joint Resolutions, pp. [151]-169; 1 p. blank; Addendum (from Gordon's Digest of Laws, "of the mode of surveying public lands"), pp. [171]-175; 1 p. blank; Certificate, 1 p.; 1 p. blank; Extract from Auditor's report, pp. [177]-188; Index, pp. [189]-220[218]. Pages 191-218 are misnumbered 193-220.

LOCAL Laws/ of the/ State of Indiana,/ Passed at the/ Thirty-third Session/ of the/ General Assembly./ By Authority./ *Indianapolis:/ John D. Defrees, State Printer/ 1849.*

Collation: Title, 1 leaf; Laws, pp. [3]-469; Certificate, 1 p.; Index, pp. [471]-487.

GENERAL Laws/ of the/ State of Indiana,/ Passed at the/ Thirty-fourth Session/ of the/ General Assembly./ By Authority./ *Indianapolis:/ John D. Defrees, State Printer,/ 1850.*

Collation: Title, 1 leaf; Laws, pp. [3]-230; Joint Resolutions, pp. [231]-253; Certificate, 1 p.; Extracts from Auditor's report, pp. [255]-278; Index, pp. [279]-338. Pages 37 and 75 are unnumbered. In the second copy examined, page 105 is also unnumbered.

LOCAL Laws/ of the/ State of Indiana,/ Passed at the/ Thirty-fourth Session/ of the/ General Assembly./ By Authority./ *Indianapolis:/ John D. Defrees, State Printer,/ 1850.*

Collation: Title, 1 leaf; Laws, pp. [3]-550; Certificate, 1 p.; 1 p. blank; Index, pp. [553]-574. Page 152 is misnumbered 52.

GENERAL Laws/ of the/ State of Indiana,/ Passed at the/ Thirty-fifth Session/ of the/ General Assembly./ By Authority./ *Indianapolis:/ J. P. Chapman, State Printer./ 1851.*

Collation: Title, 1 leaf; Laws, pp. [3]-196; Joint Resolutions, pp. [197]-205; Certificate, 1 p.; Extracts from Auditor's report, pp. [207]-239; 1 p. blank; Index, pp. [241]-257.

LOCAL Laws/ of the/ State of Indiana,/ Passed at the/ Thirty-fifth Session/ of the/ General Assembly./ By Authority./ *Indianapolis:/ J. P. Chahpman, Printer./ 1851.*

Collation: Title, 1 leaf; Laws, pp. [3]-574; Certificate, 1 p.; 1 p. blank; Index, pp. [577]-592. Page 509 is misnumbered 409. The printer's name was Chapman.

THE/ REVISED Statutes/ of the/ State of Indiana,/ Passed at the/ Thirty-sixth Session of the General Assembly;/ also, Sundry Acts, Ordinances, and Public Documents/ Directed to be Printed along with the/ Said Statutes:/ To which are Prefixed the/ Constitution of the United States/ and of the State of Indiana./ Volume I./ Printed and Published according to Law./ *Indianapolis:/ J. P. Chapman, State Printer./ 1852./ 2 volumes.*

Collation: Vol. I. Half title, 1 leaf; Title, 1 leaf; Contents (Vol. I), pp. [v]-xiv; Certificate and Errata, 1 p.; 1 p. blank; Declaration of Independence, pp. [1]-5; 1 p. blank; Articles of Confederation, pp. [7]-17; 1 p. blank; Constitution of United States, pp. [19]-32; Amendments and summary of Court Decisions, pp. [33]-38; Constitution of State of Indiana, pp. [39]-72; Acts of Virginia, pp. 73-77; Ordinance, 1787, pp. 77-84; Acts of Congress, pp. 85-95; Ordinance ratifying Enabling Act, p. 95; 1 p. blank; Laws, pp. [97]-522; Appendix title, 1 leaf; Appendix, pp. [525]-543; Errata, 1 p.; Index (Vol. I), pp. [545]-592. The half title reads: THE/ REVISED STATUTES/ OF THE/ STATE OF INDIANA. Pages 84 and 214 are unnumbered. In the second copy examined, page 84 is unnumbered.

Vol. II. Half title, 1 leaf; Title, 1 leaf; Note, 1 p.; 1 p. blank; Certificate, 1 p.; 1 p. blank; Compendium (Vol. II), 1 p.; 1 p. blank; Contents (Vol. II), pp. xi-xv; 1 p. blank; Laws, Part I, pp. [1]-25; 1 p. blank; Part II, pp. [27]-359; 1 p. blank; Part III, pp. [361]-448; Part IV, pp. [449]-512; Appendix (Explanations of technical terms), pp. [513]-514; (Decisions of Supreme Court of Indiana), pp. [515]-606; Index (Vol. II), pp. [607]-646. The half

title has rules which do not appear in Vol. I; The title page reads: THE/ REVISED STATUTES/ OF THE/ STATE OF INDIANA,/ PASSED AT THE/ THIRTY-SIXTH SESSION OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY;/ INCLUDING/ COURTS, THEIR JURISDICTION,/ AND PRACTICE THEREIN./ VOLUME II./ [. . .]/ [. . .]/ [. . .]/ [. . .]. In the second copy examined, page 114 is misnumbered 14.

SPECIAL and Local Acts/ of the/ State of Indiana,/ Passed at the/ Thirty-sixth Session/ of the/ General Assembly./ By Authority./ *Indianapolis:/ J. P. Chapman, State Printer/ 1852.*

Collation: Title, 1 leaf; Constitution of the State of Indiana, pp. [3]-29; 1 p. blank; Laws, pp. [31]-161; 1 p. blank; Joint Resolutions, pp. [163]-183; Certificate, 1 p.; Extracts from Auditor's report, pp. [185]-215; 1 p. blank; Index, pp. [217]-229. Pages 4 and 152 are unnumbered. In the second copy examined, page 152 is correctly numbered.

DIE/ REVIDIRTEN Gesetze/ des/ Staates Indiana,/ erlassen in der/ sechsendreissigsten Sitzung der General-Versammlung;/ nebst/ diversen Verordnungen, Ordonnanzen und öffentlichen Documenten, deren Druck/ mit den besagten Gesetzen verordnet wurde./ Diesen sind vorangeschickt die/ Constitution der Vereinigten Staaten/ und die des/ Staates Indiana./ Band I./ Gedruckt und herausgegeben nach dem Gesetz./ *Indianapolis,/ Gedruckt in der Druckerei des Indiana Volksblattes./ 1853./ 2 volumes.*

Collation: Vol. I. Half title, 1 leaf; Title, 1 leaf; Inhaltsverzeichniss (Band I), pp. [v]-xv; 1 p. blank; Die Unabhängigkeits-Erklärung, pp. [1]-5; 1 p. blank; Bundes-Artikel, pp. [7]-17; 1 p. blank; Die Constitution der Vereinigten Staaten, pp. [19]-32; Zusätze zu der Constitution, und Entscheidung der Berichtshöfe in Bezug auf die Constitution, pp. [33]-38; Constitution des Staates Indiana, pp. [39]-71; Act von Virginia (3), pp. 72-76; Ordonnanz des Congresses, 1787, pp. 76-82; Congress-Verordnung (5), pp. 83-92; Ordonnanz, pp. 92-93; 1 p. blank; Gesetze, pp. [95]-579; 1 p. blank; Anhang-Titel, 1 leaf; Anhang, pp. [583]-601; 1 p. blank; Inhalt des ersten Bandes, pp. [603]-650; Certificat, 1 p.; 1 p. blank; Druckfehler, 1 p. The half title reads: DIE/ REVIDIRTEN GESETZE/ DES/ STAATES INDIANA.

Vol. II. Half title, 1 leaf; Title, 1 leaf; Bemerkung, 1 p.; 1 p. blank; Certifikat, 1 p.; 1 p. blank; Inbegriff des zweiten Bandes, 1 p.; 1 p. blank; Inhalt des zweiten Bandes, pp. [xi]-xv; 1 p. blank; Gesetze, Erster Theil, pp. [1]-29; 1 p. blank; Zweiter Theil, pp. [31]-452; Dritter Theil, pp. [453]-568; Vierter Theil, pp. [569]-647; 1 p. blank; Anhang (Erklärung der technischen Ausdrücke), pp. [649]-650; (Entscheidungen des Obersten Gerichtshofes von Indiana), pp. [651]-772; Inhalt des zweiten Bandes, pp. [773]-830. The title page reads: DIE/ REVIDIRTEN GESETZE/ DES/ STAATES INDIANA,/ ERLASSEN IN DER/ SECHSUNDREISSIGSTEN SITZUNG DER GENERAL-VERSAMMLUNG;/ ENTHALTEND/ GERICHTSHÖFE, DEREN GERICHTSBARKEIT,/ UND PRAXIS/ BAND II./ GEDRUCKT UND HERAUSGEGEBEN NACH DEM GESETZ./ [. . .]/[. . .]/[. . .] Page xiii is misnumbered xii. Page 531 is unnumbered.

This German translation of the Revised Statutes of 1852 was printed and published in accordance with a special act passed at the thirty-sixth session of the General Assembly, and approved on June 16, 1852. It appears as Chapter XLV (p. 129) of the Special and Local Acts for that session.

LAWS/ of the/ State of Indiana,/ Passed at the/ Thirty-seventh Session/ of the/ General Assembly./ Begun on the Sixth Day of January, A.D. 1853./ By Authority./ *Indianapolis:/ J. P. Chapman, State Printer./* 1853.

Collation: Title, 1 leaf; Laws, pp. [3]-141; 1 p. blank; Joint Resolutions, pp. [143]-151; Certificate, 1 p.; Extracts from Auditor's report, pp. [153]-164; Index, pp. [165]-176. Page 54 is unnumbered. The folio of page 54 appears in the second copy examined.

LAWS/ of/ the State of Indiana,/ Passed at the/ Thirty-eighth Session/ of the/ General Assembly./ Begun on the 4th Day of January, A.D. 1855./ By Authority./ *Indianapolis:/ Austin H. Brown, State Printer./* 1855.

Collation: Title, 1 leaf; Laws, pp. [3]-255; 1 p. blank; Joint Resolutions, pp. [257]-263; Certificate, 1 p.; Extracts from Auditor's report, pp. [265]-280; Index, pp. [281]-288. Page 29 is unnumbered.

LAWS/ of the/ State of Indiana,/ Passed at the/ Thirty-ninth Session/ of the/ General Assembly,/ Begun

on the 8th Day of January, A.D. 1857./ By Authority./
Indianapolis:/ Joseph J. Bingham, State Printer./
 1857.

Collation: Title, 1 leaf; Laws, pp. [3]-133; 1 p. blank; Index, pp. [135]-139; 5 pp. blank; Extracts from Auditor's report, pp. [145]-162.

LAWS/ of the/ State of Indiana,/ Passed at the/
 Called Session/ of the/ General Assembly./ Begun on
 the 20th Day of November, A.D., 1858./ By Authority./
Indianapolis:/ Joseph J. Bingham, State Printer./ 1858.

Collation: Title, 1 leaf; Laws, pp. [3]-47; 1 p. blank; Joint Resolutions, pp. [49]-50; Contents, pp. [51]-53; 1 p. blank; Index, pp. [55]-60.

LAWS/ of the/ State of Indiana,/ Passed at/ the For-
 tieth Regular Session/ of the/ General Assembly,/ Be-
 gun on the Sixth Day of January, A.D. 1859./ By Au-
 thority./ *Indianapolis:/ John C. Walker, State Printer,/*
 1859.

Collation: Title, 1 leaf; Contents, pp. [iii]-xxi; 1 p. blank; Laws, pp. [3]-248; Joint Resolutions, pp. [249]-253; 1 p. blank; Appendix title, 1 leaf; Appendix (Abstracts from Auditor's reports, 1857, 1858), pp. [257]-293; 1 p. blank; Index, pp. [295]-327. Pages 193-208 are bound in twice. Pages 100, 228, and 311 are unnumbered. In the second copy examined pages 32 and 214 are also unnumbered. There are no extra signatures.

GESETZE/ des/ Staates Indiana,/ passirt/ in der
 Extra-Sitzung/ der/ General-Versammlung,/ die am 20.
 November 1858 anfang./ Offiziell./ *Indianapolis:/*
Gedruckt in der Druckerei des Indiana Volksblattes./
 1859.

Collation: Title, 1 leaf; Gesetze, pp. [3]-52; Vereinigte Beschlüsse, pp. [53]-54; Inhalts-Verzeichniss, pp. [55]-57; 1 p. blank; Register, pp. [59]-65; 1 p. blank; Title, Gesetze passirt in der vierzigsten regelmässigen Sitzung, 1 leaf; Gesetze, pp. [5]-268; Vereinigte Beschlüsse, pp. [269]-274; Anhang-Titel, 1 leaf; Auszug aus dem Berichte des Auditors, 1857, pp. [277]-291; 1858, pp. [292]-311; 1 p. blank; Inhalts-Verzeichniss, pp. [313]-331; 1 p.

blank; Register, pp. [333]-367. Page 175 has no folio. Pages 354-67 are in incorrect order; the paging reads, 353, 356, 357, 360, 359, 358, 355, 354, 367, 366, 363, 362, 361, 364, 365. The title for the regular session reads: GESETZE/ DES/ STAATES INDIANA,/ PAS-SIRT/ IN DER VIERZIGSTEN REGELMÄSSIGEN SITZUNG/ DER/ GENERAL-VERSAMMLUNG,/ DIE AM 6. JANUAR 1859 ANFING./ OFFIZIELL/ [. . .]/ [. . .]/ [. . .].

A law approved on March 5, 1859 provided for the printing of two thousand copies of the laws in German.

THE/ STATUTES/ of the/ State of Indiana:/ Con-
taining the/ Revised Statutes of 1852,/ with the/ Amend-
ments Thereto, and the Subsequent Legislation./ With/
Notes and References/ to/ Judicial Decisions./ Edited
by/ James Gavin and Oscar B. Hord./ Volume I./ In-
dianapolis:/ Published by Bingham & Doughty./ 1860.

Collation: Half title, 1 leaf; Title, 1 leaf; Foreword, pp. vii-viii; Contents (Vol. I), pp. ix-xxii; Certificate, 1 p.; 1 p. blank; Constitution of the United States, pp. 1-24; Constitution of the State of Indiana, pp. [25]-57; 1 p. blank; Laws, pp. 59-691; 1 p. blank; Appendix title, 1 leaf; Appendix, pp. 695-744; Index (Vol. I), pp. 745-828. The half title reads: STATUTES/ OF THE/ STATE OF INDIANA.

LAWS/ of the/ State of Indiana,/ Passed at/ the
Forty-first Regular Session/ of the/ General Assembly,/ Begun on the Tenth Day of January, A.D., 1861./ By Authority./ *Indianapolis:/ Berry R. Sulgrove, State Printer./* 1861.

Collation: Title, 1 leaf; Laws, pp. [1]-182; Joint Resolutions, pp. 183-91; 1 p. blank; Appendix title, 1 leaf; Appendix (Abstracts from Auditor's reports, 1859, 1860), pp. 195-340 [240]; Index, pp. [241]-252. Page 229 is misnumbered 231; page 237 is misnumbered 337; page 240 is misnumbered 340, and pages 242 and 243 are misnumbered 241 and 242.

LAWS/ of the/ State of Indiana,/ Passed at/ the Spe-
cial Session/ of the/ General Assembly,/ Begun on the
24th Day of April, A.D., 1861./ By Authority./ *Indi-
anapolis:/ Berry R. Sulgrove, State Printer./* 1861.

Collation: Title, 1 leaf; Laws, pp. [3]-98; Joint Resolutions, pp. [99]-103; 1 p. blank; Index, pp. [105]-112. Page 28 is unnumbered.

GESETZE/ des/ Staates Indiana,/ passirt in der/ Regulären Sitzung/ der/ General-Versammlung,/ die am 10. Januar 1861 anfang./ Officiell./ Indianapolis./ Gedruckt in der Druckerei der "*Freien Presse von Indiana.*" / 1861.

Collation: Title, 1 leaf; Gesetze, pp. 1-197; 1 p. blank; Gemeinschaftliche Beschlüsse, pp. 199-207; 1 p. blank; Anhang-Titel, 1 leaf; Auszug aus einem Berichte für das Jahr 1859, pp. 211-32; für das Jahr 1860, pp. 233-56; Inhalts-Verzeichniss, pp. [257]-271; 1 p. blank; Title, Gesetze passirt in der Extra-Sitzung, 1 leaf; Gesetze, pp. [3]-92; Gemeinschaftliche Beschlüsse, pp. [93]-96; Inhalts-Verzeichniss, pp. [97]-104. The folio is missing on pages 161, 201, and 227 of the general session, and pages 29, 62, and 85 of the special session. The title for the special session reads: GESETZE/ DES/ STAATES INDIANA/ PASSIRT IN DER/ EXTRA-SITZUNG/ DER/ GENERAL-VERSAMMLUNG,/ ERÖFFNET AM 1. APRIL 1861./ IM AUFTRAGE./ INDIANAPOLIS,/ BERRY R. SULGROVE, STAATSDRUCKER./ 1861.

A law passed at the extra session of 1861 and approved on May 31 appropriated three thousand dollars for printing, "including the expense of translating such matter as is required to be printed in the German language."

THE/ STATUTES/ of the/ State of Indiana:/ Containing the/ Revised Statutes of 1852,/ with the/ Amendments Thereto, and the Subsequent Legislation./ With/ Notes and References/ to/ Judicial Decisions./ Edited by/ James Gavin and Oscar B. Hord./ (Second Edition.)/ Volume I./ Indianapolis:/ Published by W. H. Bingham./ 1862.

Collation: Half title, 1 leaf; Title, 1 leaf; Foreword, pp. vii-viii; Contents (Vol. I), pp. ix-xxii; Certificate, 1 p.; 1 p. blank; Constitution of the United States, pp. 1-24; Constitution of the State of Indiana, pp. [25]-57; 1 p. blank; Laws, pp. 59-691; 1 p. blank; Appendix title, 1 leaf; Appendix, pp. 695-744; Index (Vol. I), pp. 745-828. The half title reads: STATUTES/ OF THE/ STATE OF INDIANA.

THE/ STATUTES/ of the/ State of Indiana:/ Containing the/ Revised Statutes of 1852,/ with the/ Amendments Thereto, and the Subsequent Legislation./ With/ Notes and References/ to/ Judicial Decisions./ Edited by/ James Gavin and Oscar B. Hord./ Volume II./ Indianapolis:/ Published by J. J. Bingham./ 1862.

Collation: Half title, 1 leaf; Title, 1 leaf; Foreword, 1 p.; 1 p. blank; Certificate, 1 p.; 1 p. blank; Contents (Vol. II), pp. ix-xv; 1 p. blank; Statutes, pp. 1-661; 1 p. blank; Index (Vol. II), pp. 663-736. The half title reads: STATUTES/ OF THE/ STATE OF INDIANA.

The foreword, dated April 2, 1862, mentions the delay in publishing Volume II. This was the first edition of the second volume.

LAWS/ of the/ State of Indiana,/ Passed at/ the Forty-second Regular Session/ of the/ General Assembly,/ Begun on the Eighth Day of January, A.D. 1863./ By Authority./ *Indianapolis:/ Joseph J. Bingham, State Printer./ 1863.*

Collation: Title, 1 leaf; Laws, pp. [3]-48; Joint Resolutions, pp. [49]-51; 1 p. blank; Appendix title, 1 leaf; Appendix (Abstracts from the Auditor's report, 1861), pp. [55]-89; 1 p. blank; Index, pp. [91]-94.

THE/ STATUTES/ of the/ State of Indiana:/ Containing the/ Revised Statutes of 1852,/ with the/ Amendments Thereto, and the Subsequent Legislation./ With/ Notes and References/ to/ Judicial Decisions./ Edited by/ James Gavin and Oscar B. Hord./ (Second Edition.)/ Volume I./ Indianapolis:/ Published by W. H. Bingham./ 1862.

Collation: Half title, 1 leaf; Title, 1 leaf; Foreword, pp. vii-viii; Contents (Vol. I), pp. ix-xxii; Certificate, 1 p.; 1 p. blank; Constitution of the United States, pp. 1-24; Constitution of the State of Indiana, pp. [25]-57; 1 p. blank; Laws, pp. 59-691; 1 p. blank; Appendix title, 1 leaf; Appendix, pp. 695-744; Index (Vol. I), pp. 745-828; 2 leaves blank; Supplement title, 1 leaf; Supplement (Acts of 1861, and the Special Session of 1861. Not Included in 2 Gaven & Hord. And Acts of 1863), pp. [3]-207; 1 p. blank; Index (Sup.), pp. 209-21. The half title reads: STATUTES/ OF THE/ STATE OF INDIANA.

The supplement was also issued separately. See the following item.

THE/ STATUTES/ of the/ State of Indiana:/ Containing the/ Legislation of 1861 and 1863,/ (Not Published in Vols. 1 and 2,)/ with/ Notes and References/ to/ Judicial Decisions./ Edited by/ James Gavin and Oscar B. Hord./ Volume III./ *Indianapolis:/ Published by J. J. Bingham./ 1863.*

Collation: Title, 1 leaf; Acts, pp. [3]-207; 1 p. blank; Index (Supplement), pp. 209-21.

This supplement was printed under a Supplement title, with Volume I of Gavin and Hord, in 1863.

LAWS/ of the/ State of Indiana,/ Passed at/ the Forty-third Regular Session/ of the/ General Assembly,/ Begun on the Fifth Day of January, A.D. 1865./ By Authority./ *Indianapolis:/ W. R. Holloway, State Printer./ 1865.*

Collation: Title, 1 leaf; Laws, pp. [3]-130; Joint Resolutions, pp. [131]-135; Certificate, 1 p.; Appendix title, 1 leaf; Appendix (Abstracts from Auditor's report, 1863), pp. [139]-[159]; 1 p. blank; Index, pp. [161]-169.

LAWS/ of the/ State of Indiana,/ Passed at/ the Called Session/ of the/ General Assembly,/ Begun on the Thirteenth Day of November, A.D. 1865./ By Authority./ *Indianapolis:/ Samuel M. Douglass, State Printer./ 1866.*

Collation: Title, 1 leaf; Laws, pp. [3]-205; Joint Resolutions, pp. [206]-207; Errata, 1 p.; Index, pp. [209]-222. Page 187 is unnumbered.

LAWS/ of the/ State of Indiana,/ Passed at/ the Forty-fifth Regular Session/ of the/ General Assembly,/ Begun on the Tenth Day of January, A.D. 1867./ By Authority./ *Indianapolis:/ Alexander H. Conner, State Printer./ 1867.*

Collation: Title, 1 leaf; Laws, pp. [3]-233; 1 p. blank; Joint Resolutions, pp. [235]-241; 1 p. blank; Appendix title, 1 leaf; Ap-

pendix (Abstracts from Auditor's report, 1865), pp. [245]-[267]; 1 p. blank; Index, pp. [269]-280.

This session was actually the forty-fourth regular session of the General Assembly. The error in numbering sessions was continued by the following assemblies.

GESETZE/ des/ Staates Indiana,/ passirt in der/ Fünfundvierzigsten regelmässigen Sitzung/ der/ am 10. Januar 1867 zusammengetretenen/ General-Versammlung./ Gesetzmässige Ausgabe./ *Indianapolis:/ Alexander H. Conner, Staatsdrucker./ 1867.*

Collation: Title, 1 leaf; Gesetze, pp. [3]-359; 1 p. blank; Title, Gemeinschaftliche Beschlüsse, 1 leaf; Beschlüsse, pp. 363-72; Title, Anhang, 1 leaf; Aufzüge aus dem Berichte des Auditors, 1865, pp. 375-89; 1866, pp. 390-418; Inhalts-Verzeichniss, pp. 419-47. The folios are missing on pages 50, 55, and 59. Page 431 is misnumbered 430. The title for the Beschlüsse reads: GEMEINSCHAFTLICHE BESCHLÜSSE/ DER/ GENERAL-VERSAMMLUNG/ VON/ INDIANA.

LAWS/ of the/ State of Indiana,/ Passed at/ the Forty-sixth Regular Session/ of the/ General Assembly,/ Begun on the Seventh Day of January, A.D. 1869./ By Authority./ *Indianapolis:/ Alexander H. Conner, State Printer./ 1869.*

Collation: Title, 1 leaf; Laws, pp. [3]-32; Joint Resolutions, pp. [33]-34; Certificate, 1 p.; 1 p. blank; Appendix title, 1 p; Appendix (Abstracts from Auditor's report, 1867), pp. [38]-72; Index, pp. [73]-78[76]. Pages 74-76 are misnumbered 76-78.

LAWS/ of the/ State of Indiana,/ Passed at/ the Special Session/ of the/ General Assembly,/ Begun on the Eighth Day of April, A.D. 1869./ By Authority./ *Indianapolis:/ Alexander H. Conner, State Printer./ 1869.*

Collation: Title, 1 leaf; Laws, pp. [3]-127; Joint Resolution, p. 128; Errata, 1 p.; 1 p. blank; Index, pp. [131]-143.

THE/ STATUTES/ of the/ State of Indiana:/ Containing the/ Revised Statutes of 1852,/ with the/ Amendments Thereto, and the Subsequent Legislation./ With/

Notes and References/ to/ Judicial Decisions./ Edited by/ James Gavin and Oscar B. Hord./ (Second Edition.)/ Volume I./ Indianapolis:/ Published by J. J. Bingham./ 1870./ 2 volumes.

Collation: Vol. I. Half title, 1 leaf; Title, 1 leaf; Foreword, pp. vii-viii; Contents (Vol. I), pp. ix-xxii; Certificate, 1 p.; 1 p. blank; Constitution of United States, pp. 1-24; Constitution of the State of Indiana, pp. [25]-57; 1 p. blank; Laws, pp. 59-691; 1 p. blank; Appendix title, 1 leaf; Appendix, pp. 695-744; Index (Vol. I), pp. 745-828. The half title reads: STATUTES/ OF THE/ STATE OF INDIANA.

Vol. II. Half title, 1 leaf; Title, 1 leaf; Foreword, 1 p.; 1 p. blank; Certificate, 1 p.; 1 p. blank; Contents (Vol. II), pp. ix-xv; 1 p. blank; Statutes, pp. 1-661; 1 p. blank; Index (Vol. II), pp. 663-736. The title page of Vol. II does not note the edition; the period after Legislation is omitted, and it is labeled Volume II.

A supplementary volume compiled by Edwin A. Davis and John A. Holman, embracing laws of a general nature passed since the publication of the first edition of Gavin and Hord's Revision, was also published in 1870, and is labeled Volume III.

SUPPLEMENT/ to the/ Statutes/ of the/ State of Indiana,/ Embracing all/ Laws of a General Nature/ Passed since the Publication of the Edition of Gavin & Hord,/ in Force July 1st, 1870, with Notes and References to/ Judicial Decisions by/ Edwin A. Davis,/ Author of Davis' Indiana Digest etc., etc.,/ With a Complete Tabular Index to the Edition of/ Gavin & Hord, and this Volume, by/ John A. Holman,/ of the Indianapolis Bar./ Volume III./ *Indianapolis: J. J. Bingham./ Cincinnati: Robert Clarke & Co./ 1870.*

Collation: Half Title, 1 leaf; Title, 1 p.; Copyright, 1 p.; Preface, pp. [vii]-viii; Contents (Vol. III), pp. ix-xxxi; Certificate, 1 p.; Statutes, pp. [3]-577; 1 p. blank; Constitution of United States (Amendments, Acts of Congress), pp. [579]-596; General Index to laws in Vols. I and II of Gavin and Hord and this volume, pp. 597-737. The half title reads: STATUTES/ OF THE/ STATE OF INDIANA. In the second copy examined, page 57 is unnumbered.

This item is known as Davis' Supplement to Gavin and Hord, and is sometimes cited as Volume III of Gavin and Hord.

LAWS/ of the/ State of Indiana,/ Passed at/ the Forty-seventh Regular Session/ of the/ General Assembly,/ Begun on the Fifth Day of January, A.D. 1871./ By Authority./ *Indianapolis:/ R. J. Bright, State Printer./* 1871.

Collation: Title, 1 leaf; Laws, pp. [3]-65; 1 p. blank; Joint Resolutions, pp. [67]-75; 1 p. blank; Abstracts from Auditor's report, 1869, pp. [77]-129; 1 p. blank; Certificate, 1 p.; Errata, 1 p.; Index, pp. [133]-150.

LAWS/ of the/ State of Indiana,/ Passed at/ the Special Session/ of the/ General Assembly,/ Begun on the 13th Day of November, A.D. 1872./ By Authority./ *Indianapolis:/ R. J. Bright, State Printer./* 1872.

Collation: Title, 1 leaf; Laws, pp. [3]-135; 1 p. blank; Joint Resolutions, pp. [137]-140; Certificate, 1 p.; 1 p. blank; Index, pp. [143]-157.

LAWS/ of the/ State of Indiana,/ Passed at/ the Forty-eighth Regular Session/ of the/ General Assembly,/ Begun on the Ninth Day of January, A.D. 1873./ By Authority./ *Indianapolis:/ Indianapolis Journal Co., Printers./* 1873.

Collation: Title, 1 leaf; Laws, pp. [3]-233; 1 p. blank; Joint Resolutions, pp. [235]-249; Errata and Certificate, 1 p.; Appendix title, 1 leaf; Appendix (Abstracts from Auditor's report, 1871), pp. [253]-292; 2 pp. blank; Index, pp. [295]-328. Page 26 is misnumbered 6; page 273 is unnumbered, and page 327 is misnumbered 227. In the second copy examined, page 9 is unnumbered, and the folio for page 26 is correct.

LAWS/ of the/ State of Indiana,/ Passed at/ the Forty-ninth Regular Session/ of the/ General Assembly,/ Begun on the Seventh Day of January, A.D. 1875./ By Authority./ *Indianapolis:/ Sentinel Company, Printers./* 1875.

Collation: Title, 1 leaf; Laws, pp. [3]-181; 1 p. blank; Joint Resolutions, pp. [183]-186; Errata, 1 p.; Certificate, 1 p.; Abstracts from Auditor's report, 1873, pp. [189]-[201]; 1 p. blank; Abstracts from Auditor's report, 1874, pp. [203]-226; Index, pp. [227]-260.

LAWS/ of the/ State of Indiana/ Passed at/ the Special Session/ of the/ General Assembly,/ Begun on the Ninth Day of March, A.D. 1875./ By Authority./ *Indianapolis:/ Sentinel Company, Printers./ 1875.*

Collation: Title, 1 leaf; Laws, pp. [3]-82; Errata, 1 p.; Certificate, 1 p.; Index, pp. [85]-98.

THE/ STATUTES/ of the/ State of Indiana:/ Containing the/ Revised Statutes of 1852,/ with the/ Amendments Thereto, and the Subsequent/ Legislation./ With/ Notes and References/ to/ Judicial Decisions./ By/ Edwin A. Davis, L.L.B.,/ Author of Davis' Indiana Digest, etc./ Volume I./ *Indianapolis:/ Bingham & Co.; Merrill, Hubbard & Co./ Cincinnati: Robert Clarke & Co./ [1876]/ 2 volumes.*

Collation: Vol. I. Title, 1 p.; Copyright, 1 p.; Preface, pp. [iii]-iv; Contents (Vol. I), pp. [v]-xxi; 1 p. blank; Constitution of United States and amendments, pp. [1]-18; Constitution of the State of Indiana, pp. [19]-47; Laws, pp. [48]-957; 1 p. blank; Index (Vol. I), pp. [959]-1066.

Vol. II. Title, 1 p.; Copyright, 1 p.; Preface, pp. [iii]-iv; Contents (Vol. II), pp. [v]-xi; 1 p. blank; Statutes, pp. [1]-687; Appendix, pp. [688]-730; Index (Vol. II), pp. [731]-819.

LAWS/ of the/ State of Indiana,/ Passed at/ the Fiftieth Regular Session/ of the/ General Assembly,/ Begun on the Fourth Day of January, A.D., 1877./ By Authority./ *Indianapolis:/ Sentinel Company, Printers./ 1877.*

Collation: Title, 1 leaf; Laws, pp. [3]-157; 1 p. blank; Joint Resolutions, pp. [159]-167; Errata, 1 p.; Certificate, 1 p.; 1 p. blank; Abstracts from the Auditor's report, 1875, pp. [171]-181; Abstracts from the Auditor's report, 1876, pp. [182]-199; 1 p. blank; Index, pp. [201]-229.

LAWS/ of the/ State of Indiana,/ Passed at/ the Special Session/ of the/ General Assembly,/ Begun on the Sixth Day of March, A.D., 1877./ By Authority./ *Indianapolis:/ Sentinel Company, Printers./ 1877.*

Collation: Title, 1 leaf; Laws, pp. [3]-83; 1 p. blank; Joint Resolutions, pp. [85]-86; Errata, 1 p.; Certificate, 1 p.; Index, pp. [89]-105.

THE/ STATUTES/ of the/ State of Indiana:/ Containing the/ Revised Statutes of 1852,/ with the/ Amendments Thereto, and the Subsequent/ Legislation./ With/ Notes and References/ to/ Judicial Decisions./ Edited by/ Edwin A. Davis, LL.B.,/ Author of Davis' Indiana Digest, etc./ Volume II.—Second Edition./ *Indianapolis:/ Bingham & Co.; Merrill, Hubbard & Co./ Cincinnati: Robert Clarke & Co./* [1877].

Collation: Title, 1 p.; Copyright, 1 p.; Preface, pp. [iii]-iv; Contents (Vol. II), pp. [v]-xi; 1 p. blank; Statutes, pp. [1]-687; Appendix, pp. [688]-730; Index (Vol. II), pp. [731]-819.

This collation was made from a copy of the volume in the Social Law Library, Boston.

THE/ STATUTES/ of the/ State of Indiana:/ Containing the/ Revised Statutes of 1852,/ with the/ Amendments Thereto, and the Subsequent/ Legislation./ With/ Notes and References/ to/ Judicial Decisions./ By/ Edwin A. Davis, L.L.B.,/ Author of Davis' Indiana Digest, etc./ [Second Edition.]/ Volume I./ *Indianapolis:/ Bingham & Co.; Merrill Hubbard & Co./ Cincinnati: Robert Clarke & Co./* 1878.

Collation: Vol. I. Note to Vol. I (tipped in); Title, 1 p.; Copyright, 1 p.; Preface, pp. [iii]-iv; Contents (Vol. I), pp. [v]-xxi; 1 p. blank; Constitution of United States and amendments, pp. [1]-18; Constitution of the State of Indiana, pp. [19]-47; Laws, pp. [48]-957; 1 p. blank; Index (Vol. I), pp. [959]-1066.

THE/ STATUTES/ of the/ State of Indiana:/ Containing the/ Revised Statutes of 1852,/ with the/ Amendments Thereto, and the Subsequent/ Legislation./ With/ Notes and References/ to/ Judicial Decisions./ Edited by/ Edwin A. Davis, LL. B.,/ Author of Davis' Indiana Digest, etc./ Volume II.—Third Edition./ *Indianapolis:/ Bingham & Co.; Merrill, Hubbard & Co./ Cincinnati: Robert Clarke & Co./* 1878.

Collation: Note to Vol. II (tipped in); Title, 1 p.; Copyright, 1 p.; Preface, pp. [iii]-iv; Contents (Vol. II), pp. [v]-xi; 1 p. blank; Statutes, pp. [1]-687; Appendix, pp. [688]-730; Index (Vol. II), pp. [731]-819.

LAWS/ of the/ State of Indiana/ Passed at/ the Fifty-first Regular Session/ of the/ General Assembly,/ Begun on the Ninth Day of January, A.D. 1879./ By Authority./ *Indianapolis:/ Indianapolis Journal Company, State Printers and Binders./ 1879.*

Collation: Title, 1 leaf; Laws, pp. [3]-50; Joint Resolutions, pp. [51]-57; Certificate, 1 p.; Title to laws, special session, 1879, 1 leaf; Laws, special session, pp. [61]-250; Joint and Concurrent Resolutions, pp. [251]-262; Errata, 1 p.; Certificate, 1 p.; Abstracts from Auditor's report, 1877, pp. [265]-270; Abstract from Auditor's report, 1878, pp. [271]-275; Index to laws of regular and special sessions, 1879, pp. [276]-319. The title to the special session reads: LAWS/ OF THE/ STATE OF INDIANA/ PASSED AT/ THE SPECIAL SESSION/ OF THE/ GENERAL ASSEMBLY,/ BEGUN ON THE ELEVENTH DAY OF MARCH, A. D. 1879./ BY AUTHORITY./ [. .]/ [. .]. Pages 41, 45, and 153 are unnumbered.

LAWS/ of the/ State of Indiana,/ Passed at the/ Fifty-second Regular Session,/ of the/ General Assembly,/ Begun on the Sixth Day of January, A.D. 1881./ By Authority./ *Indianapolis:/ Carlon & Hollenbeck, Printers and Binders,/ 1881.*

Collation: Title, 1 leaf; Laws, pp. [3]-63; 1 p. blank; Joint Resolutions, pp. [65]-67; Certificate, 1 p.; Title to laws, special session, 1881, 1 leaf; Laws, special session, pp. [71]-718; Joint and Concurrent Resolutions, pp. 719-22; 1 p. blank; Certificate, 1 p.; Abstracts from Auditor's report, 1880, pp. [725]-745; 1 p. blank; Contents, pp. [747]-777; 1 p. blank; Index, pp. [779]-831. The title for the special session reads: LAWS/ OF THE/ STATE OF INDIANA,/ PASSED AT/ THE SPECIAL SESSION,/ OF THE/ GENERAL ASSEMBLY,/ BEGUN ON THE EIGHTH DAY OF MARCH, A. D. 1881./ BY AUTHORITY./ [. .]/ [. .]/ [. .]. Page 388 is misnumbered 88. In the second copy examined, page 103 is misnumbered 10.

BY AUTHORITY of the General Assembly./ The/ Revised Statutes/ of/ Indiana:/ Containing, also, the/ United States and Indiana Constitutions/ and an/ Appendix of Historical Documents./ Collated and Annotated by/ James S. Frazer, John H. Stotsenburg,/ and/ David Turpie, Commissioners./ [Cut from State Seal]/ *Chicago, Ill./ E. B. Myers and Company./ 1881.*

Collation: Title, 1 p.; Copyright, 1 p.; Preface, pp. [iii]-vii; 1 p. blank; Contents, pp. [ix]-xxi; 1 p. blank; Constitution of United States, pp. [1]-12; Constitution of State of Indiana, pp. [13]-35; 1 p. blank; Statutes, Part I, pp. [37]-508; 1 blue leaf; Part II, pp. [509]-1422; Addendum, pp. 1423-24; Historical Documents, pp. [1425]-1431; 1 p. blank; 1 blue leaf; Index title, 1 leaf; Index, pp. [1435]-1642; Advertisements, 4 pp.

ADDITIONAL Citations/ to the/ Statutes of Indiana,/ Revision of 1876./ [*Indianapolis: Bingham & Co.; Merrill Hubbard & Co. Cincinnati: Robert Clarke & Co.* 1881 (?)]

Collation: List of added citations, Vol. I, pp. [1]-3; Vol. II, pp. 4-5.

This five-page list of citations was issued as a supplement to the two-volume Davis Revision of the laws, first published in 1876.

LAWS/ of the/ State of Indiana,/ Passed at the/ Fifty-third Regular Session/ of the/ General Assembly,/ Begun on the Fourth Day of January, A.D. 1883./ By Authority./ *Indianapolis: Wm. B. Burford, Contractor for Public Printing.*/ 1883.

Collation: Title, 1 leaf; Laws, pp. [3]-209; Joint and Concurrent Resolutions, pp. [210]-211; Statement of Receipts and Expenditures of Public Money, pp. [212]-235; Certificate, 1 p.; Contents, pp. [237]-262; Index, pp. [263]-291.

ACTS and Joint Resolutions/ of the/ General Assembly/ of/ The State of Indiana/ Passed at the/ Regular Session/ Which was Begun and Held at Indianapolis, on Thursday,/ the Fourth Day of January, 1883, and Adjourned with-/ out Day on Monday, the Fifth Day of March, 1883./ Edited, Printed, Published, and Circulated under and by Authority/ of Law and with the Secretary of State's Authentication/ S. R. Downey, Editor/ [Cut from State Seal]/ *Cincinnati: Robert Clarke & Co.* 1883.

Collation: Title, 1 p.; Copyright, 1 p.; Explanatory Note, pp. iii-iv; Contents, pp. v-xvi; List of acts, pp. xvii-xviii; Governor's Proclamation, 1 p.; 1 p. blank; Acts, pp. 1643-1780; Joint and Con-

current Resolutions, pp. 1781-82; Certificate, 1 p.; 1 p. blank; Receipts and expenditures, pp. 1785-1803; 1 p. blank; Index, pp. [1805]-1829; 1 p. blank; Advertisements, 6 pp.

This edition of the laws of 1883 was made from a copy of the original rolls, and certified in electrotype copy by the secretary of state. The volume was designed to supplement the Revised Statutes of 1881, which explains the fact that the page numbers begin with 1643. A reprint, with different title page, was issued in 1887.

INDIANA/ Statutes at Large./ 1783-1887./ In Divisions./ 1852-1887./ In Parts./ 1883./ S. R. Downey, Editor./ [Cut from State Seal]/ *Rising Sun*:/ S. R. & H. A. Downey./ 1887.

Collation: Title, 1 p.; Copyright, 1 p.; Explanatory Note, pp. iii-iv; Contents, pp. v-xvi; List of acts, pp. xvii-xviii; Governor's Proclamation, 1 p.; 1 p. blank; Acts, pp. 1643-1780; Joint and Concurrent Resolutions, pp. 1781-82; Certificate, 1 p.; 1 p. blank; Receipts and expenditures, pp. 1785-1803; 1 p. blank; Index, pp. [1805]-1829; 1 p. blank; Advertisements, 2 pp.

This is a reprint, with different title page, of the preceding item.

LAWS/ of the/ State of Indiana,/ Passed at the/ Fifty-Fourth Regular Session/ of the/ General Assembly,/ Begun on the Eighth Day of January, A.D., 1885./ By Authority./ *Indianapolis*:/ Wm. B. Burford, Contractor for State Printing and Binding./ 1885.

Collation: Title, 1 leaf; Laws, pp. [3]-88; Joint and Concurrent Resolutions, pp. 88-89; 1 p. blank; Title to laws, special session, 1885, 1 leaf; Laws, pp. [93]-243; Joint and Concurrent Resolutions, p. 243; 1 p. blank; Auditor's report, pp. [245]-259; Certificate, 1 p.; Contents, pp. [261]-290; Index, pp. [291]-319. The title for the special session reads: LAWS/ OF THE/ STATE OF INDIANA,/ PASSED AT THE/ SPECIAL SESSION/ OF THE/ GENERAL ASSEMBLY,/ BEGUN ON THE 10TH DAY OF MARCH, A. D. 1885./ BY AUTHORITY./ INDIANAPOLIS:/ WM. B. BURFORD, CONTRACTOR FOR STATE PRINTING./ 1885.

LAWS/ of the/ State of Indiana,/ Passed at the/ Fifty-fifth Regular Session/ of the/ General Assembly,/ Begun on the Tenth Day of January, A.D., 1887./ By

Authority./ *Indianapolis*:/ *Wm. B. Burford, Contractor for State Printing and Binding*,/ 1887.

Collation: Title, 1 leaf; Laws, pp. [3]-63; Certificate, 1 p.; Contents, pp. [65]-69; 1 p. blank; Index, pp. [71]-77.

THE/ REVISED Statutes/ of the/ State of Indiana,/ Embracing the/ Revision of 1881 and all General Laws/ Enacted/ Subsequent to that Revision,/ Now in Force, with/ Digested Notes of Judicial Decisions,/ Construing or Illustrating their Provisions/ Volume I./ Constitutions—Codes—Wills./ *Chicago*:/ *E. B. Myers & Co., Law Publishers*,/ 1888./ 2 volumes.

Collation: Vol. I. Title, 1 p.; Copyright, 1 p.; Preface, 1 p.; 1 p. blank; Contents, [3] pp.; 1 p. blank; Constitution of United States, [12] pp.; Constitution of State of Indiana, [24] pp.; Notes to Constitution, [23] pp.; Revised Statutes, [734] pp.; Index title, 1 leaf; Index (Vols. I and II), [209] pp. A blank page precedes Chapter 3. There is no pagination of these volumes.

Vol. II. Title, 1 p.; Copyright, 1 p.; Contents (Vol. II), [11] pp.; 1 p. blank; Statutes, [1176] pp.; Addendum, [2] pp.; Historical Documents, [7] pp. Blank pages have been inserted where necessary to bring the beginning of a chapter to the right-hand page. Under Volume II, the title page reads: AGRICULTURE—WEIGHTS AND MEASURES.

A supplementary volume, known as Volume III, was issued in 1892.

LAWS/ of the/ State of Indiana,/ Passed at the/ Fifty-sixth Regular Session/ of the/ General Assembly,/ Begun on the Tenth Day of January, A.D., 1889./ By Authority./ *Indianapolis*:/ *Wm. B. Burford, Contractor for State Printing and Binding*,/ 1889.

Collation: Title, 1 leaf; Laws, pp. [3]-452; Statement of Receipts and Expenditures of Public Money, pp. [453]-489; Certificate, 1 p.; Contents, pp. [491]-522; Index, pp. [523]-560.

ELLIOTT'S Supplement/ to the/ Indiana Revised Statutes/ of/ 1881/ Embracing without Abridgment/ All the Acts of the General Assembly from 1883 to 1889, Inclusive,/ with Reference to Prior Statutes, and with Copious

Notes of/ the Decisions of the Supreme Court of Indiana and of/ Other Courts, Construing the Text of the/ Acts and Bearing upon Anal-/ ogous Questions./ By William F. Elliott,/ of the Indianapolis Bar./ Printed from certified copies of the Enrolled Acts, and diligently compared and corrected in/ proof by the Secretary of State./ *Indianapolis, Ind.:/ The Bowen-Merrill Co.,/ Law Publishers./* 1889.

Collation: Title, 1 p.; Copyright, 1 p.; Preface, pp. [3]-4; Contents, pp. [5]-10; Certificate, 1 p.; 1 p. blank; Note, 1 p.; 1 p. blank; Title, Part I, 1 leaf; Part I, pp. [17]-120; Title, Part II, 1 leaf; Part II, pp. 123-708; Title, Part III, 1 leaf; Part III, pp. 711-808; Index title, 1 leaf; Index, pp. [811]-846. The Part titles read: PART I./ COURTS AND MATTERS APPERTAINING/ THERETO.

PART II./ MISCELLANEOUS ACTS.

PART III./ APPROPRIATION, LEGALIZING, AND SPECIAL/ ACTS AND RESOLUTIONS.

LAWS/ of the/ State of Indiana,/ Passed at the/ Fifty-Seventh Regular Session/ of the/ General Assembly,/ Begun on the Eighth Day of January, A.D., 1891./ By Authority./ *Indianapolis:/ Wm. B. Burford, Contractor for State Printing and Binding./* 1891.

Collation: Title, 1 leaf; Laws, pp. [3]-486; Statement of Receipts and Expenditures of Public Moneys, pp. [487]-534; Certificate, p. 535; 1 p. blank; Contents, pp. [537]-566; Index, pp. [567]-592.

THE/ REVISED Statutes/ of/ Indiana./ A Continuation of the Editions of 1881 and 1888,/ Containing/ All Statutes of a General Nature/ Enacted/ Subsequent to those Editions and Completing the/ Record of the Laws in Force/ with Annotations of all Cases Decided, since the Plate of the/ Edition of 1888, Construing or Illustrating/ such General Statutes to Date./ [Cut from State Seal]/ Volume III./ *Chicago:/ E. B. Myers & Co., Law Publishers./* 1892.

Collation: Title, 1 p.; Copyright, 1 p.; Preface, 1 p.; 1 p. blank; Contents, pp. [v]-xiv; Supplement to Revised Statutes, pp. [1]-851; 1 p. blank; Index, pp. [853]-908.

This volume is usually cited as Volume III, or Supplement, to Myers' Revised Statutes of Indiana.

LAWS/ of the/ State of Indiana,/ Passed at the/
Fifty-eighth Regular Session/ of the/ General Assembly/
Begun on the Fifth Day of January, A.D., 1893./ By
Authority./ *Indianapolis:*/ Wm. B. Burford, Contractor
for State Printing and Binding./ 1893.

Collation: Title, 1 leaf; Laws, pp. [3]-383; 1 p. blank; Statement of Receipts and Expenditures of Public Moneys, pp. [385]-427; Certificate, 1 p.; Contents, pp. [429]-450; Index, pp. [451]-478.

ANNOTATED Statutes/ of the/ State of Indiana/
Showing the/ General Statutes in Force January 1, 1894/
Embracing/ the Revision of 1881 as Amended, and all
Permanent, General/ and Public Acts of the General As-
sembly Passed since/ the Adoption of that Revision, with
a Digest/ under Each Section of the Judicial/ Decisions
relating Thereto/ Containing also the/ United States and
Indiana Constitutions/ with Annotations/ By Harrison
Burns/ Author of Indiana Index-Digest/ In Three Vol-
umes/ Volume I/ *Indianapolis/ The Bowen-Merrill Com-*
pany/ 1894.

Collation: Vol. I. Title, 1 p.; Copyright, 1 p.; Preface, pp. iii-iv; Contents, pp. v-xxxvii; 1 p. blank; Constitution of United States, pp. 1-17; Articles in Amendment, pp. 18-25; Constitution of State of Indiana, pp. 26-63; 1 p. blank; Volume title, 1 leaf; Statutes, pp. 67-913; 1 p. blank; Index (Vol. I), pp. 915-99. The volume title reads: VOLUME I./ INDIANA STATUTES./ REVISION OF 1894./ (65).

Vol. II. Title, 1 p.; Copyright, 1 p.; Statement, p. iii; 1 p. blank; Contents, pp. v-xi; Volume title, 1 leaf; Statutes, pp. 3-1015; 1 p. blank; Index (Vol. II), pp. 1017-84. The title pages are the same as in the preceding volume, except for the volume number.

Vol. III. Title, 1 p.; Copyright, 1 p.; Statement, p. iii; 1 p. blank; Contents, pp. v-xlii; Reference title, 1 blue leaf; References,

pp. xlv-lv; 1 p. blank; Volume title, 1 leaf; Statutes, pp. 3-870; Appendix, pp. 871-86; Index (Vols. I-III), pp. 887-1134; Acts of 1895, pp. [1]-6. Pages 63a and 63b are inserted between 63 and 64. The general and volume title pages are the same as in Volume I except for the volume number. The References title reads: REFERENCES TO SESSION ACTS/ AND SECTIONS IN REVISION OF 1894./ ELLIOTT'S SUPPLEMENT REFERENCES.

A supplementary volume and a general index volume were issued in 1897.

LAWS/ of the/ State of Indiana/ Passed at the/ Fifty-Ninth Regular Session/ of the/ General Assembly,/ Begun on the Tenth Day of January, A.D. 1895./ By Authority./ William D. Owen, Secretary of State./ *Indianapolis:/ Wm. B. Burford, Contractor for State Printing and Binding./* 1895.

Collation: Title, 1 leaf; Laws, pp. [3]-411; Certificate, 1 p.; Statement of Receipts and Expenditures of Public Moneys, pp. [413]-454; Indiana State Officers, pp. [455]-456; Contents, pp. [457]-477; 1 p. blank; Index, pp. [479]-516. Page 47 is misnumbered 4.

THE/ REVISED Statutes/ of the/ State of Indiana,/ Embracing/ All General Laws/ in Force January 1, 1896,/ with/ Digested Notes of Judicial Decisions/ Construing or Illustrating their Provisions./ Compiled by/ Frank A. Horner,/ of the Clay County Bar./ Author of Horner's Criminal Forms for Indiana./ Vol. I./ *Chicago:/ E. B. Myers & Company./ Law Publishers./* 1896./ 2 volumes.

Collation: Vol. I. Title, 1 leaf; Copyright, 1 leaf; Preface, 1 p.; 1 p. blank; Contents, [9] pp.; 1 p. blank; Constitution of the United States, [12] pp.; Constitution of State of Indiana, [51] pp.; 1 p. blank; Revised Statutes, [1374] pp.; Index title, 1 leaf; Index, [220] pp.

Vol. II. Title, 1 p.; Copyright, 1 p.; Contents, [5] pp.; 1 p. blank; Volume title, 1 leaf; Statutes, [850] pp.; Historical Documents, [7] pp.; 1 p. blank; Index title, 1 leaf; Index, [220] pp. The general title page is the same as for Volume I, except for volume number. The volume title page reads: THE/ REVISED STATUTES/ OF THE/ STATE OF INDIANA./ VOL. II.

LAWS/ of the/ State of Indiana/ Passed at the/ Sixtieth Regular Session/ of the/ General Assembly./ Begun on the Seventh Day of January, A.D. 1897./ By Authority./ William D. Owen, Secretary of State./ *Indianapolis:/ Wm. B. Burford, Contractor for State Printing and Binding./ 1897.*

Collation: Title, 1 leaf; Laws, pp. [3]-335; Certificate, p. 336; Statement of Receipts and Expenditures of Public Moneys, pp. [337]-375; 1 p. blank; Indiana State Officers, pp. 377-78; Contents, pp. [379]-405; 1 p. blank; Index, pp. [407]-436.

ANNOTATED Statutes/ of the/ State of Indiana/ Supplement of 1897/ Containing the/ General Statutes/ Enacted at the Legislative Sessions of 1895 and 1897,/ Together with Notes of Decisions of/ the Highest Courts/ Construing the/ Constitutions of the State and United States/ and the/ Laws contained in the Revised Statutes/ of 1894 and Subsequent/ Enactments/ By Harrison Burns/ Compiler of the Revised Statutes of 1894 and Author of/ Indiana Index-Digest/ Volume IV/ Indianapolis/ The Bowen-Merrill Company/ 1897.

Collation: Title, 1 p.; Copyright, 1 p.; Preface, 1 p.; 1 p. blank; Contents, pp. v-lvii; 1 p. blank; Notes on Constitution of United States, pp. 1-12; Articles in Amendment of Constitution, pp. 13-19; Notes on Constitution of State of Indiana, pp. 20-29; 1 p. blank; Title for supplement and Part I, 1 leaf; Part I, pp. 33-226; Title, Part II, 1 leaf; Part II, pp. 229-870; Appendix, pp. 871-72; Index, pp. 873-953. The title for supplement and Part I reads: INDIANA STATUTES./ SUPPLEMENT OF 1897./ PART I./ CHAP./ 1. LAWS GOVERNING STATE./ 2. CIVIL PROCEDURE./ 3. COURTS./ 4. CRIMINAL PROCEDURE./ 5. CRIMES./ 6. DECEDENTS' ESTATES./ 7. DESCENT./ 8. GUARDIANSHIP./ 9. WILLS./ TAKING EFFECT OF ACTS./ [followed by dates for 1895 and 1897 acts]. The title for Part II reads: PART II./ GENERAL LAWS./ AGRICULTURE/ TO/ WEIGHTS AND MEASURES./ (227).

A/ GENERAL Index/ of the/ Indiana Statutes/ contained in the/ Annotated Indiana Statutes/ of 1894/ and the/ Supplement of 1897/ Alphabetically arranged by Subjects/ By/ Harrison Burns/ Compiler of the Anno-

tated Indiana Statutes of 1894/ and Supplement of 1897/
Indianapolis/ The Bowen-Merrill Company/ 1897.

Collation: Title, 1 p.; Copyright, 1 p.; Explanation, p. iii;
1 p. blank; Index, pp. 1-383.

THE/ REVISED Statutes/ of/ Indiana:/ Containing
all Laws of a General Character/ in Force September 1,
1897./ Containing, also, the/ United States and Indiana
Constitutions/ an/ Appendix of Historical Documents/
and/ A Table of Statutes Enacted Since 1881 that have
been Amended./ By W. W. Thornton,/ Author of Stat-
utory Construction, Indiana Annotated Code,/ Gifts and
Advancements, etc./ [Cut from State Seal]/ *Chicago,*
Ill.:/ Callaghan & Co.,/ 1897.

Collation: Title, 1 p.; Copyright, 1 p.; Preface, pp. [iii]-iv;
Contents, pp. v-xvii; 1 p. blank; Constitution of the United States,
pp. 1-11; Constitution of State of Indiana, pp. 12-35; 1 p. blank;
Revised Statutes, Part I, pp. 37-469; 1 p. blank; 1 blue leaf; Part
II, pp. [471]-1974; Addendum (tipped in); 1 leaf blank; Historical
Documents title, 1 p.; List of Historical Documents, 1 p.; Docu-
ments, pp. 1979-2016; Title, List of Amendatory Acts, 1 leaf; List,
pp. 2019-25; 1 p. blank; Index title, 1 leaf; 1 blue leaf; Index, pp.
2029-2279. Sections 3491a-3491b are inserted on two unnumbered
pages between pages 610 and 611. The List of Amendatory Acts
title reads: A LIST OF/ AMENDATORY, SUPPLEMENTAL AND LEGAL-
IZING ACTS/ ENACTED SINCE 1881.

THE/ REVISED Statutes/ of the/ State of Indiana,/
Embracing/ All General Laws/ in Force January 1,
1898,/ with/ Digested Notes of Judicial Decisions/ Con-
struing or Illustrating their Provisions./ Compiled by/
Frank A. Horner,/ of the Clay County Bar./ Author of
Horner's Criminal Forms for Indiana./ *Chicago:/ E. B.*
Myers & Company./ Law Publishers./ 1897.

Collation: Title, 1 p.; Copyright, 1 p.; Preface, 1 p.; 1 p.
blank; Contents, [14] pp.; Constitution of the United States, [12]
pp.; Constitution of State of Indiana, [51] pp.; 1 p. blank; Re-
vised Statutes, [2329] pp.; Historical Documents, [7] pp.; Index
title, 1 leaf; Index, [220] pp. Blank pages precede chapters 5
and 33.

LAWS/ of the/ State of Indiana/ Passed at the/ Sixty-First Regular Session/ of the/ General Assembly/ Begun on the Fifth Day of January A.D. 1899./ By Authority,/ Union B. Hunt, Secretary of State./ *Indianapolis:/ Wm. B. Burford, Contractor for State Printing and Binding./ 1899.*

Collation: Title, 1 leaf; Laws, pp. [3]-581; Certificate, p. 582; Statement of Receipts and Expenditures of Public Moneys, pp. 583-626; Indiana State Officers, pp. 627-28; Contents, pp. 629-69; 1 p. blank; Index, pp. 671-713.

LAWS/ of the/ State of Indiana/ Passed at the/ Sixty-Second Regular Session/ of the/ General Assembly/ Begun on the Tenth Day of January A.D. 1901./ By Authority,/ Union B. Hunt, Secretary of State./ *Indianapolis:/ Wm. B. Burford, Contractor for State Printing and Binding./ 1901.*

Collation: Title, 1 leaf; Laws, pp. [3]-624; Certificate, p. 625; Receipts and Disbursements, pp. 626-29; Indiana State Officers, pp. 630-31; 1 p. blank; Contents, pp. 633-76; Index, pp. 677-711.

BURNS'/ Annotated Indiana/ Statutes/ Showing the/ General Statutes in Force September 1, 1901/ Embracing/ the Revision of 1881 as Amended, and all Permanent, General/ and Public Acts of the General Assembly Passed/ since the Adoption of that Revision/ Containing also the/ United States and Indiana Constitutions/ All Completely Annotated/ By Harrison Burns/ In Three Volumes/ Volume I/ *Indianapolis/ The Bowen-Merrill Company/ 1901.*

Collation: Vol. I. Title, 1 p.; Copyright, 1 p.; Preface to Revision of 1901, p. iii; 1 p. blank; Preface to Revision of 1894, pp. v-vi; Contents, pp. vii-xl; Constitution of the United States, pp. 1-27; Articles in Amendment, pp. 28-42; Constitution of State of Indiana, pp. 43-86; Volume title, 1 leaf; Statutes, pp. 89-1091; 1 p. blank; Index (Vol. I), pp. 1093-1225. The volume title reads: VOLUME I./ INDIANA STATUTES./ REVISION OF 1901./ (87).

Vol. II. Title, 1 p.; Copyright, 1 p.; Statement, p. iii; 1 p. blank; Contents, pp. [v]-xlviii; Volume title, 1 leaf; Statutes, pp. 3-1396; Index (Vol. II), pp. 1397-1507. The title pages are the

same as for Volume I, except for the volume number. Pages 439a and 439b are interposed between 439 and 440.

Vol. III. Title, 1 p.; Copyright, 1 p.; Statement, p. iii; 1 p. blank; Contents, pp. v-lii; Reference title, 1 gray leaf; References, pp. lv-lxviii; Volume title, 1 leaf; Statutes, pp. 3-1227; Appendix, pp. 1228-46; Index (Vol. III), pp. 1247-1395. The title pages are the same as for Volume I, except for the volume number. The Reference title reads: REFERENCES TO SESSION ACTS/ AND SECTIONS IN REVISIONS OF 1894 AND 1901./ ELLIOTT'S SUPPLEMENT REFERENCES.

A/ GENERAL Index/ of the/ Indiana Statutes/ Contained in/ Burns' Annotated Indiana Statutes/ of 1901/ Alphabetically Arranged by Subjects/ Also an Appendix containing an Index to Private Acts Adopted/ Prior to 1852/ By/ Harrison Burns/ Indianapolis/ The Bowen-Merrill Company/ 1901.

Collation: Title, 1 p.; Copyright, 1 p.; Explanation, p. iii; 1 p. blank; General Index, pp. 1-372; Appendix, pp. 373-84.

THE/ REVISED Statutes/ of the/ State of Indiana/ Embracing/ All General Laws/ in Force October 1, 1901,/ with/ Digested Notes of Judicial Decisions/ Construing or Illustrating their Provisions./ Compiled by/ Frank A. Horner,/ of the Clay County Bar./ Author of Horner's Criminal Forms for Indiana;/ State and Federal Liquor Laws, and News-/ paper Legal Advertising Laws./ Vol. 1./ Lawyers' Co-operative Publishing Company,/ Chicago, Rochester, N.Y. New York/ 1901./ 2 volumes.

Collation: Vol. 1. Title, 1 p.; Copyright, 1 p.; Note (tipped in); Preface, 1 p.; 1 p. blank; Contents, [14] pp.; Constitution of the United States, [12] pp.; Constitution of State of Indiana, [51] pp.; 1 p. blank; Revised Statutes, [1408] pp.; Annotations, [48] pp.; Historical Documents, [7] pp.; 1 p. blank; Index title, 1 leaf; Index, [220] pp.

Vol. 2. Title, 1 p.; Copyright, 1 p.; Note (tipped in); Contents, [14] pp.; Statutes, [1181] pp.; 1 p. blank; Annotations, [48] pp.; Historical Documents, [7] pp.; 1 p. blank; Index title, 1 leaf; Index, [220] pp. The title page is the same except for the volume number.

LAWS/ of the/ State of Indiana/ Passed at the/ Sixty-Third Regular Session/ of the/ General Assembly/ Begun on the Eighth Day of January A.D. 1903./ By Authority,/ Daniel E. Storms, Secretary of State./ *Indianapolis:/ Wm. B. Burford, Contractor for State Printing and Binding./ 1903.*

Collation: Title, 1 leaf; Laws, pp. [3]-540; Certificate, p. 541; Receipts and Disbursements, pp. 542-45; Indiana State Officers, pp. 546-47; 1 p. blank; Contents, pp. 549-90; Index, pp. 591-649. In the second copy examined, page 545 is unnumbered.

LAWS/ of the/ State of Indiana/ Passed at the/ Sixty-fourth Regular Session/ of the/ General Assembly/ Begun on the Fifth Day of January, A.D. 1905/ By Authority/ Daniel E. Storms/ Secretary of State/ *Indianapolis/ Wm. B. Burford, Contractor for State Printing and Binding/ 1905.*

Collation: Title, 1 leaf; Laws, pp. [3]-759; Joint Resolutions, pp. 759-60; Certificate, p. 761; Department of State personnel, p. 762; Contents, pp. 763-88; Index, pp. 789-866.

BURNS' Annotated Indiana/ Statutes/ Supplement of 1905/ Containing the/ General Statutes/ Enacted at the Legislative Sessions of 1903 and 1905,/ Together with Notes of the Decisions/ of the Highest Courts/ Construing the/ Constitutions of the State and United States/ and the/ Laws contained in the Revised Statutes of 1901 and/ Subsequent Enactments./ By Harrison Burns/ Compiler of the Revised Statutes of 1901/ Volume IV/ *Indianapolis/ The Bobbs-Merrill Company/ 1905.*

Collation: Title, 1 p.; Copyright, 1 p.; Preface, 1 p.; 1 p. blank; Contents, pp. v-lvi; Notes on Constitution of the United States, pp. 1-6; Articles in Amendment, pp. 7-11; Notes on Constitution of the State of Indiana, pp. 12-23; Volume and Part title, p. 24; Statutes, pp. 25-321; 1 p. blank; Title, Part II, p. 323; 1 p. blank; Statutes, pp. 325-1031; Appendix, pp. 1032-34; Index, pp. 1035-1118. The folio is missing on page xli. The Part titles read: INDIANA STATUTES./ SUPPLEMENT OF 1905./ PART I./ CHAP./ 1. LAWS GOVERNING THE STATE./ 2. CIVIL PROCEDURE./ 3. COURTS./ 4. CRIMINAL PROCEDURE./ 5. CRIMES./ 6. DECEDENTS' ESTATES./

7. DESCENT./ 8. GUARDIANSHIP./ 9. WILLS./ TAKING EFFECT OF ACTS./ [followed by dates for 1903 and 1905]./ (24).

PART II./ GENERAL LAWS./ AGRICULTURE/ TO/ WEIGHTS AND MEASURES./ (323).

This volume is a supplement to the Burns' Revision of 1901, and is sometimes designated as Volume IV of that revision.

LAWS/ of the/ State of Indiana/ Passed at the Sixty-fifth Regular Session/ of the General Assembly/ Begun on the Tenth Day of January, A.D. 1907/ 1907/ By Authority/ Fred A. Sims, Secretary of State/ *Indianapolis/ Wm. B. Burford, Contractor for State Printing and Binding/ 1907.*

Collation: Title, 1 leaf; Laws, pp. [3]-691; Joint Resolutions, pp. 692-97; Certificate, p. 698; Treasurer's report, pp. 699-701; Indiana Elective Officers, pp. 702-3; 1 p. blank; Contents, pp. 705-47; 1 p. blank; Index, pp. 749-800.

LAWS/ of the/ State of Indiana/ Passed at the/ Special Session/ of the/ Sixty-fifth General Assembly/ Begun on the Eighteenth Day of September, A.D. 1908./ By Authority,/ Fred A. Sims, Secretary of State./ *Indianapolis:/ Wm. B. Burford, Contractor for State Printing and Binding./ 1908.*

Collation: Title, 1 leaf; Laws, pp. [3]-16; Certificate, p. 17; Treasurer's report, pp. 18-20; Indiana Elective Officers, pp. 21-22; Contents, pp. 23-24; Index, pp. 25-28.

BURNS'/ Annotated Indiana/ Statutes/ Showing the/ General Statutes in Force January 1, 1908/ Embracing/ the Revision of 1881 as Amended, and all Permanent, General/ and Public Acts of the General Assembly Passed/ since the Adoption of that Revision/ Containing also the/ United States and Indiana Constitutions/ All Completely Annotated/ By Harrison Burns/ In Three Volumes/ Volume I/ *Indianapolis/ The Bobbs-Merrill Company/ 1908.*

Collation: Vol. I. Title, 1 p.; Copyright, 1 p.; Preface, pp. iii-iv; Contents, pp. v-xlii; Constitution of the United States, pp. 1-33; Articles in Amendment, pp. 34-54; Constitution of State of

Indiana, pp. 55-108; Volume title, 1 leaf; Statutes, pp. 111-1383; 1 p. blank; Index, pp. 1385-1516. The volume title reads: VOL-
UME I./ INDIANA STATUTES./ REVISION OF 1908./ 109.

Vol. II. Title, 1 p.; Copyright, 1 p.; Statement, p. iii; 1 p. blank; Contents, pp. v-iii; 1 p. blank; Volume title, 1 leaf; Statutes, pp. 1-1344; Index, pp. 1345-1453. The title pages are the same as for Volume I, except for the volume number.

Vol. III. Title, 1 p.; Copyright, 1 p.; Statement, p. iii; 1 p. blank; Contents, pp. v-li; 1 p. blank; Table, pp. liii-cv; 1 p. blank; Volume title, 1 leaf; Statutes, pp. 1-1234; Appendix title, 1 leaf; Appendix, pp. 1237-56; Index, pp. 1257-1388. The title pages are the same as for Volume I except for the volume number.

A general index volume was issued in 1908.

A/ GENERAL Index/ of the/ Indiana Statutes/ Con-
tained in/ Burns' Annotated Indiana Statutes/ of 1908/
Alphabetically Arranged by Subjects/ Also an Appendix
containing an Index to Private Acts Adopted/ Prior to
1852/ By/ Harrison Burns/ Indianapolis/ The Bobbs-
Merrill Company/ 1908.

Collation: Title, 1 p.; Copyright, 1 p.; Explanation, p. iii; 1 p. blank; General Index, pp. 1-365; 1 p. blank; Appendix, pp. 367-78.

LAWS/ of the/ State of Indiana/ Passed at the Sixty-
sixth Regular Session/ of the General Assembly/ Begun
on the Seventh Day of January, A.D. 1909/ 1909/ By
Authority/ Fred A. Sims, Secretary of State/ Indianap-
olis:/ Wm. B. Burford, Contractor for State Printing and
Binding/ 1909.

Collation: Title, 1 leaf; Laws, pp. [3]-501; Joint Resolution, pp. 501-2; Certificate, p. 503; Department of State personnel, p. 504; Receipts and Disbursements, 1907, pp. 505-19; 1908, pp. 520-37; 1 p. blank; Contents, pp. 539-68; Index, pp. 569-608.

LAWS/ of the/ State of Indiana/ Passed at the Sixty-
seventh Regular Session/ of the General Assembly/
Begun on the Fifth Day of January, A.D. 1911/ 1911/ By
Authority/ L.G. Ellingham, Secretary of State/ Indian-
apolis:/ Wm. B. Burford, Contractor for State Printing
and Binding/ 1911.

Collation: Title, 1 leaf; Laws, pp. [3]-697; Joint and Concurrent Resolutions, pp. 697-705; Certificate, p. 706; Receipts and Disbursements, 1909, pp. 707-24; 1910, pp. [725]-743; Contents, pp. 744-97; 1 p. blank; Index, pp. 799-860. Page 555 is misnumbered 557.

LAWS/ of the/ State of Indiana/ Passed at the Sixty-eighth Regular Session/ of the General Assembly/ Begun on the Ninth Day of January, A.D. 1913/ 1913/ By Authority/ L.G. Ellingham, Secretary of State/ *Indianapolis*:/ Wm. B. Burford, Contractor for State Printing and Binding/ 1913.

Collation: Title, 1 leaf; Laws, pp. [3]-964; Joint and Concurrent Resolutions, pp. 965-67; Certificate, p. 968; Receipts and Disbursements, 1911, pp. 969-87; 1912, pp. 988-1005; Contents, pp. 1006-73; 1 p. blank; Index, pp. 1075-1132.

BURNS'/ Annotated Indiana/ Statutes/ Showing the/ General Statutes in Force January 1, 1914./ Embracing/ the Revision of 1881 as Amended, and all Permanent, General/ and Public Acts of the General Assembly Passed/ since the Adoption of that Revision/ Containing also the/ United States and Indiana Constitutions/ All Completely Annotated/ By Harrison Burns/ In Four Volumes/ Volume I/ *Indianapolis/ The Bobbs-Merrill Company/ 1914.*

Collation: Vol. I. Title, 1 p.; Copyright, 1 p.; Preface, 1 p.; 1 p. blank; Contents, pp. v-xxxvii; 1 p. blank; Constitution of the United States, pp. 1-40; Articles in Amendment, pp. 41-68; Constitution of State of Indiana, pp. 69-132; Volume title, p. 133; 1 p. blank; Statutes, pp. 135-1316; Index, pp. 1317-1434. The volume title reads: VOLUME I./ INDIANA STATUTES./ REVISION OF 1914./ 133.

Vol. II. Title, 1 p.; Copyright, 1 p.; Statement, 1 p.; 1 p. blank; Contents, pp. v-xlvi; Statutes, pp. 1-1229; 1 p. blank; Index, pp. 1231-1325.

Vol. III. Title, 1 p.; Copyright, 1 p.; Statement, 1 p.; 1 p. blank; Contents, pp. v-xli; 1 p. blank; Statutes, pp. 1-1050; Index, pp. 1051-1129.

Vol. IV. Title, 1 p.; Copyright, 1 p.; Statement, 1 p.; 1 p. blank; Contents, pp. v-xxvi; Table, pp. xxvii-xxix; 1 p. blank;

Statutes, pp. 1-1112; Appendix title, 1 leaf; Appendix, pp. 1115-39; 1 p. blank; Index, pp. 1141-1253. The title pages are like that of Volume I, except for volume numbers and slight variations in type styles.

A general index was issued in 1914. In 1918 a supplementary volume numbered V was issued.

A/ GENERAL Index/ of the/ Indiana Statutes/ Contained in/ Burns' Annotated Indiana Statutes/ of 1914/ Alphabetically Arranged by Subjects/ Also an Appendix containing an Index to Private Acts Adopted/ Prior to 1852/ By/ Harrison Burns/ *Indianapolis/ The Bobbs-Merrill Company/ 1914.*

Collation: Title, 1 p.; Copyright, 1 p.; Explanation, p. iii; 1 p. blank; General Index, pp. 1-395; 1 p. blank; Appendix (Index), pp. 397-408.

LAWS/ of the/ State of Indiana/ Passed at the Sixty-ninth Regular Session/ of the General Assembly/ Begun on the Seventh Day of January, A.D. 1915/ 1915/ By Authority/ Homer L. Cook, Secretary of State/ *Indianapolis:/ Wm. B. Burford, Contractor for State Printing and Binding/ 1915.*

Collation: Title, 1 leaf; Laws, pp. [3]-694; Joint Resolutions, pp. 694-96; Certificate, p. 697; Receipts and Disbursements, 1913, pp. 698-715; 1914, pp. 716-41; Contents, pp. 742-78; Index, pp. 779-813.

LAWS/ of the/ State of Indiana/ Passed at the Seventieth Regular Session of/ the General Assembly/ Begun on the Fourth Day of January, A.D. 1917/ 1917/ By Authority/ Ed. Jackson, Secretary of State/ *Fort Wayne Printing Company/ Contractors for State Printing and Binding/ 1917.*

Collation: Title, 1 leaf; Laws, pp. [3]-697; Joint and Concurrent Resolutions, pp. 697-705; Certificate, p. 706; Receipts and Disbursements, 1915, pp. 707-32; 1916, pp. 733-56; Contents, pp. 757-97; Index, pp. 798-864.

BURNS'/ Annotated Indiana/ Statutes/ Supplement of 1918/ Containing the/ General Statutes/ Enacted at

the Legislative Sessions of 1915 and 1917,/ Together with Notes of the Decisions/ of the Highest Courts/ Construing the/ Constitutions of the State and United States/ and the/ Laws contained in the Revised Statutes of 1914 and/ Subsequent Enactments/ By/ Harrison Burns/ Compiler of the Revised Statutes of 1914/ Volume V/ *Indianapolis/ The Bobbs-Merrill Company/ 1918.*

Collation: Title, 1 p.; Copyright, 1 p.; Preface, 1 p.; 1 p. blank; Contents, pp. v-lxiii; 1 p. blank; Notes on Constitution of the United States, pp. 1-7; Notes on Constitution of the State of Indiana, pp. 8-16; Volume and Part title, 1 leaf; Statutes, pp. 19-152; Title, Part II, 1 leaf; Statutes, pp. 155-923; Appendix, pp. 924-25; 1 p. blank; Index, pp. 927-75. The volume and part titles read: INDIANA STATUTES/ SUPPLEMENT OF 1918/ PART I/ CHAP./ 1. LAWS GOVERNING THE STATE./ 2. CIVIL PROCEDURE./ 3. COURTS./ 4. CRIMINAL PROCEDURE./ 5. CRIMES./ 6. DECEDENTS' ESTATES./ 7. DESCENT./ 8. GUARDIANSHIP./ 9. WILLS./ TAKING EFFECT OF ACTS./ [followed by dates for acts from 1915 to 1917].

PART II/ GENERAL LAWS/ AGRICULTURE/ TO/ WEIGHTS AND MEASURES.

This compilation is supplementary to the four-volume Burns' Revision of 1914.

LAWS/ of the/ State of Indiana/ Passed at the Seventy-first Regular Session/ of the General Assembly/ Begun on the Ninth Day of January, A.D. 1919/ 1919/ By Authority/ William A. Roach, Secretary of State/ *Indianapolis:/ Wm. B. Burford, Contractor for State Printing and Binding/ 1919.*

Collation: Title, 1 leaf; Laws, pp. [3]-845; Joint and Concurrent Resolutions, pp. 845-72; Certificate, p. 873; Receipts and Disbursements, 1917, pp. 874-91; 1918, pp. 892-908; Contents, pp. 909-57; Index, pp. 958-1046.

LAWS/ of the/ State of Indiana/ Passed at the Special Session/ of the General Assembly/ Begun on the Sixteenth Day/ of January, A.D. 1920/ By Authority/ William A. Roach, Secretary of State/ *Fort Wayne Printing Company/ Contractors for Indiana State Printing and Binding/ Fort Wayne, Indiana/ 1920.*

Collation: Title, 1 leaf; Laws, pp. [3]-6; Title to second special session, 1920, 1 leaf; Laws, pp. [9]-196; Joint Resolutions, pp. 196-97; Certificate, p. 198; Index, pp. [199]-220. The second title page reads: LAWS/ OF THE/ STATE OF INDIANA/ PASSED AT THE SPECIAL SESSION/ OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY/ BEGUN ON THE TWELFTH DAY/ OF JULY, A. D. 1920/ BY AUTHORITY/ ED. JACKSON, SECRETARY OF STATE/ [. . .]/ [. . .]/ [. . .]/ [. . .].

LAWS/ of the/ State of Indiana/ Passed at the Seventy-second Regular Session/ of the General Assembly/ Begun on the Sixth Day of January A.D. 1921./ 1921/ By Authority/ Ed. Jackson, Secretary of State/ *Fort Wayne Printing Company/ Contractors for Indiana State Printing and Binding/ Fort Wayne, Indiana/ 1921.*

Collation: Title, 1 leaf; Laws, pp. [3]-880; Joint Resolutions, pp. 880-96; Certificate, 1 p.; Receipts and Disbursements, 1919, pp. 898-931; 1920, pp. 932-64; Contents, pp. [965]-1013; Index, pp. [1014]-1080.

BURNS'/ Annotated Indiana/ Statutes/ Supplement of 1921/ Containing the/ General Statutes/ Enacted at the Legislative Sessions of 1915, 1917, 1919,/ 1920, 1921, Together with Notes of the Deci-/ sions of the Highest Courts/ Construing the/ Constitutions of the State and United States/ and the/ Laws Contained in the Revised Statutes of 1914 and/ Subsequent Enactments/ By/ Harrison Burns/ and/ Samuel Grant Gifford/ In Two Volumes/ Volume I/ *Indianapolis/ The Bobbs-Merrill Company/ Publishers/ [1921].*

Collation: Vol. I. Publishers' note (tipped in); Flyleaf; Title, 1 p.; Copyright, 1 p.; Preface, 1 p.; 1 p. blank; Contents, pp. v-lxviii; 1 leaf blank; Table, pp. lxxi-exci; 1 p. blank; Notes on Constitution of the United States, pp. 1-27; 1 p. blank; Notes on Constitution of the State of Indiana, pp. 29-43; 1 p. blank; Volume and Part title, p. 45; 1 p. blank; Statutes, pp. 47-309; 1 p. blank; Title, Part II, 1 leaf; Statutes, pp. 313-1134. Blank pages have been inserted where necessary to bring chapter beginnings to a right-hand page. The volume and part titles read: INDIANA STATUTES/ SUPPLEMENT OF 1921/ PART I/ CHAP./ 1. ACTS AND LAWS GOVERNING THE STATE./ 2. CIVIL PROCEDURE./ 3. COURTS./ 4. CRIMINAL PROCEDURE./ 5. CRIMES./ 6. DECEDENTS' ESTATES./ 7.

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DESCENT./ 8. GUARDIANSHIP./ 9. WILLS./ TAKING EFFECT OF ACTS./ [followed by dates for acts from 1915 to 1921].

PART II/ GENERAL LAWS/ AGRICULTURE/ TO/ WEIGHTS AND MEASURES/ INDIANA STATUTES.

Vol. II. Publishers' note (tipped in); Flyleaf; Title, 1 p.; Copyright, 1 p.; Contents, pp. iii-iii; 1 p. blank; Statutes, pp. 1135-2259; 1 p. blank; Appendix, pp. 2261-73; 1 p. blank; General Index, pp. 2275-2467.

LAWS/ of the/ State of Indiana/ Passed at the Special Session of the General/ Assembly/ Begun on the Fourteenth Day of December, 1921/ 1921/ By Authority/ Ed Jackson, Secretary of State/ *Indianapolis:/ Wm. B. Burford, Contractor for State Printing and Binding/* 1923.

Collation: Title, 1 leaf; Laws, pp. [3]-12; Title for laws, seventy-third regular session, 1923, 1 leaf; Laws, pp. 15-575; Joint Resolutions, pp. 575-77; Certificate, p. 578; Receipts and Disbursements, pp. 579-82; Contents, pp. 583-622; Index, pp. 623-734. The title for the regular session, 1923, reads: LAWS/ OF THE/ STATE OF INDIANA/ PASSED AT THE SEVENTY-THIRD REGULAR SESSION/ OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY/ BEGUN ON THE FOURTH DAY OF JANUARY, A. D. 1923/ 1923/ BY AUTHORITY/ ED JACKSON, SECRETARY OF STATE/ [. . .]/ [. . .]/ [. . .].

LAWS/ of the/ State of Indiana/ Passed at the Seventy-Fourth Regular Session/ of the General Assembly/ Begun on the Eighth Day of January, A.D. 1925/ 1925/ By Authority/ Frederick E. Schortemeier, Secretary of State/ *Indianapolis:/ Wm. B. Burford, Contractor for State Printing and Binding/* 1925.

Collation: Title, 1 leaf; Laws, pp. [3]-620; Joint and Concurrent Resolutions, pp. 621-27; Certificate, 1 p.; Receipts and Disbursements, pp. 629-30; Contents, pp. 631-72; Index, pp. 673-773.

ANNOTATED/ Indiana Statutes/ Containing/ All Indiana Statutes of General and Public Nature/ in Force January 1, 1926/ Including also/ the Constitutions/ of the United States and the State of Indiana/ All Com-

pletely Annotated/ Edited/ By Harrison Burns/ Revised and Annotated/ By Benjamin F Watson/ Three Volumes/ With Separate Index/ Volume I/ *Indianapolis/ The Bobbs-Merrill Company/ Publishers/ [1926].*

Collation: Vol. I. Contents (Chs. 1-4), Inside cover and 1 brown page; 1 brown page blank; Flyleaf; 1 p. blank; List of Burns' Revisions, 1 p.; Title, 1 p.; Copyright, 1 p.; Preface, 2 pp.; Contents, pp. v-1; Constitution of the United States, pp. 1-85; 1 p. blank; Constitution of State of Indiana, pp. 87-146; Statutes title, 1 leaf; Statutes, pp. 149-1467; 1 p. blank; Index, pp. 1469-1606; 1 brown page blank; Contents (Chs. 4-9), 1 brown page and inside cover. The statutes title reads: INDIANA STATUTES/ REVISION OF 1926/ 147.

Vol. II. Contents (Chs. 10-71), inside cover and 1 brown page; 1 brown page blank; 1 p. blank; List of Burns' Revisions, 1 p.; Title, 1 p.; Copyright, 1 p.; Contents, pp. iii-lxxxiv; Statutes, pp. 1-1936; 1 leaf blank; 1 brown page; Contents (Chs. 10-71), 1 brown page and inside cover.

Vol. III. Contents (Chs. 72-106), inside cover; 1 brown leaf blank; 1 p. blank; List of Burns' Revisions, 1 p.; Title, 1 p.; Copyright, 1 p.; Contents, pp. iii-lxxxi; 1 p. blank; Statutes, pp. 1-1970; 1 blank leaf; 1 brown leaf blank; Contents (Chs. 72-106), inside cover. Page xxiv is misnumbered xxi. The title pages for Volumes II and III are like that of Volume I, except for the volume number.

A general index was issued in 1926.

A/ GENERAL Index/ to the/ Indiana Statutes/ Contained in/ Burns' Annotated Indiana Statutes/ Revision of 1926/ Alphabetically Arranged by Subjects/ Containing also Table of Errata; Tables of Corre-/ sponding Sections to R.S. 1914 and Supplement/ of 1921; List of Special and Private Acts/ By/ The Publishers Editorial Staff/ *Indianapolis/ The Bobbs-Merrill Company/ 1926.*

Collation: List of Burns' Revisions, 1 p.; Title, 1 p.; Copyright, 1 p.; Publishers' note, p. iii; Contents, p. iv; Errata (Vols. I-III), pp. 1-2; Tables of Corresponding Sections, pp. 3-182; Appendix, pp. 183-220; General Index, pp. 221-711.

LAWS/ of the/ State of Indiana/ Passed at the Seventy-fifth Regular Session/ of the General Assembly/ Begun on the Sixth Day of January, A.D. 1927/ 1927/ By Authority/ Frederick E. Schortemeier, Secretary of State/ *Indianapolis:*/ Wm. B. Burford, *Contractor for State Printing and Binding*/ 1927.

Collation: Title, 1 leaf; Laws, pp. [3]-748; Joint and Concurrent Resolutions, pp. 748-63; Certificate, p. 764; Receipts and Disbursements, pp. 765-66; Contents, pp. 767-81; 1 p. blank; Index, pp. 783-876.

APPENDIX

PLACE AND DATE OF LEGISLATIVE SESSIONS

In the following list, wherever the dates of a session were not ascertainable, the dates of the first and last laws passed at that session have been given and starred. According to the published laws passed by the governor and judges of Indiana Territory, acting for the District of Louisiana in 1804, the session was "Uegun and Held" on October 1, 1804. In a petition to Congress, however, the legislators stated that their "lengthy and laborious session" began in September.

The list does not include a quasi session of the General Assembly of Indiana Territory, held at Vincennes from October 16 to 21, 1809, after Illinois Territory was created and divided off. The legality of the election of a new assembly, and particularly the status of the new House of Representatives, which contained but eight, instead of the minimum nine members provided for by Congress, was so questionable that no legislation was undertaken. The session is recorded in the issues of the Vincennes *Western Sun*, from October 16 to December 23, 1809.

Attention should perhaps be called to the misnumbering of the legislative sessions, following the forty-third regular and special sessions of 1865. The session of 1867 was known as the forty-fifth instead of as the forty-fourth session, and the erroneous numbering has been continued by subsequent legislatures.

NORTHWEST TERRITORY

1788.	July 25*-Dec. 28*	Governor and Judges	Marietta
1790.	July 19*-Aug. 4*	" " "	Vincennes
1790.	Nov. 4*-6*	" " "	Cincinnati
1791.	June 22*-July 2*	" " "	"
1792.	July -Dec.	" " "	"
1795.	May 29-Aug. 25	" " "	"
1798.	April 23-May 7	" " "	"
1799.	Sept. 16-Dec. 19	Territorial Assembly, 1 sess.	"

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1801.	Jan. 12-26	Governor and Judges	1 sess.	Vincennes
1802.	Jan. 28-Feb. 3	" " "	2 sess.	"
1803.	Feb. 16*-Mar. 24*	" " "	3 sess.	"
1803.	Sept. 20*-Nov. 7*	" " "	4 sess.	"
1804.	Oct. 1	" " "		
	(acting for District of Louisiana)		1 sess.	"
1805.	July 29-Aug. 26*	1 General Assembly	1 sess.	"
1806.	Nov. 3-Dec. 6*	1 " "	2 sess.	"
1807.	Aug. 16-Sept. 19	2 " "	1 sess.	"
1808.	Sept. 26-Oct. 26	2 " "	2 sess.	"
1810.	Nov. 12-Dec. 19	3 " "	1 sess.	"
1811.	Nov. 11-Dec. 19	3 " "	2 sess.	"
1813.	Feb. 1-Mar. 12	4 " "	1 sess.	"
1813-14.	Dec. 6-Jan. 6	4 " "	2 sess.	"
1814.	Aug. 15-Sept. 10	5 " "	1 sess.	"
1815.	Dec. 4-28	5 " "	2 sess.	"

STATE OF INDIANA

1816-17.	Nov. 4-Jan. 3	General Assembly	1 sess.	Corydon
1817-18.	Dec. 1-Jan. 29	" "	2 sess.	"
1818-19.	Dec. 7-Jan. 2	" "	3 sess.	"
1819-20.	Dec. 6-Jan. 22	" "	4 sess.	"
1820-21.	Nov. 27-Jan. 9	" "	5 sess.	"
1821-22.	Nov. 19-Jan. 3	" "	6 sess.	"
1822-23.	Dec. 2-Jan. 11	" "	7 sess.	"
1823-24.	Dec. 1-Jan. 31	" "	8 sess.	"
1825.	Jan. 10-Feb. 12	" "	9 sess.	Indianapolis
1825-26.	Dec. 5-Jan. 21	" "	10 sess.	"
1826-27.	Dec. 4-Jan. 27	" "	11 sess.	"
1827-28.	Dec. 3-Jan. 24	" "	12 sess.	"
1828-29.	Dec. 1-Jan. 24	" "	13 sess.	"
1829-30.	Dec. 7-Jan. 30	" "	14 sess.	"
1830-31.	Dec. 6-Feb. 10	" "	15 sess.	"
1831-32.	Dec. 5-Feb. 3	" "	16 sess.	"
1832-33.	Dec. 3-Feb. 4	" "	17 sess.	"
1833-34.	Dec. 2-Feb. 3	" "	18 sess.	"
1834-35.	Dec. 1-Feb. 9	" "	19 sess.	"
1835-36.	Dec. 7-Feb. 8	" "	20 sess.	"
1836-37.	Dec. 5-Feb. 6	" "	21 sess.	"
1837-38.	Dec. 4-Feb. 19	" "	22 sess.	"
1838-39.	Dec. 3-Feb. 18	" "	23 sess.	"
1839-40.	Dec. 2-Feb. 24	" "	24 sess.	"
1840-41.	Dec. 7-Feb. 15	" "	25 sess.	"
1841-42.	Dec. 6-Jan. 31	" "	26 sess.	"
1842-43.	Dec. 5-Feb. 13	" "	27 sess.	"

1843-44.	Dec. 4-Jan. 15	General Assembly	28 sess.	Indianapolis
1844-45.	Dec. 2-Jan. 13	" "	29 sess.	"
1845-46.	Dec. 1-Jan. 20	" "	30 sess.	"
1846-47.	Dec. 7-Jan. 28	" "	31 sess.	"
1847-48.	Dec. 6-Feb. 17	" "	32 sess.	"
1848-49.	Dec. 4-Jan. 5	" "	33 sess.	"
1849-50.	Dec. 3-Jan. 21	" "	34 sess.	"
1850-51.	Dec. 30-Feb. 14	" "	35 sess.	"
1851-52.	Dec. 1-Mar. 10; Apr. 20-June 21	" "	36 sess.	"
1853.	Jan. 6-Mar. 7	" "	37 sess.	"
1855.	Jan. 4-Mar. 5	" "	38 sess.	"
1857.	Jan. 8-Mar. 9	" "	39 sess.	"
1858.	Nov. 20-Dec. 25	" "	spec. sess.	"
1859.	Jan. 6-Mar. 7	" "	40 sess.	"
1861.	Jan. 10-Mar. 11	" "	41 sess.	"
1861.	Apr. 24-June 2	" "	spec. sess.	"
1863.	Jan. 8-Mar. 9	" "	42 sess.	"
1865.	Jan. 5-Mar. 6	" "	43 sess.	"
1865.	Nov. 13-Dec. 22	" "	spec. sess.	"
1867.	Jan. 10-Mar. 11	" "	45 sess.	"
1869.	Jan. 7-Mar. 8	" "	46 sess.	"
1869.	Apr. 8-May 17	" "	spec. sess.	"
1871.	Jan. 5-Feb. 28	" "	47 sess.	"
1872.	Nov. 13-Dec. 22	" "	spec. sess.	"
1873.	Jan. 9-Mar. 10	" "	48 sess.	"
1875.	Jan. 7-Mar. 8	" "	49 sess.	"
1875.	Mar. 9-15	" "	spec. sess.	"
1877.	Jan. 4-Mar. 5	" "	50 sess.	"
1877.	Mar. 6-15	" "	spec. sess.	"
1879.	Jan. 9-Mar. 10	" "	51 sess.	"
1879.	Mar. 11-31	" "	spec. sess.	"
1881.	Jan. 6-Mar. 7	" "	52 sess.	"
1881.	Mar. 8-Apr. 16	" "	spec. sess.	"
1883.	Jan. 4-Mar. 5	" "	53 sess.	"
1885.	Jan. 8-Mar. 9	" "	54 sess.	"
1885.	Mar. 10-Apr. 13	" "	spec. sess.	"
1887.	Jan. 6-Mar. 7	" "	55 sess.	"
1889.	Jan. 10-Mar. 11	" "	56 sess.	"
1891.	Jan. 8-Mar. 9	" "	57 sess.	"
1893.	Jan. 5-Mar. 6	" "	58 sess.	"
1895.	Jan. 10-Mar. 11	" "	59 sess.	"
1897.	Jan. 7-Mar. 8	" "	60 sess.	"
1899.	Jan. 5-Mar. 6	" "	61 sess.	"
1901.	Jan. 10-Mar. 11	" "	62 sess.	"
1903.	Jan. 8-Mar. 9	" "	63 sess.	"
1905.	Jan. 5-Mar. 6	" "	64 sess.	"

1907.	Jan. 10-Mar. 11	General Assembly	65 sess.	Indianapolis
1908.	Sep. 18-30	" "	spec. sess.	"
1909.	Jan. 7-Mar. 8	" "	66 sess.	"
1911.	Jan. 5-Mar. 6	" "	67 sess.	"
1913.	Jan. 9-Mar. 10	" "	68 sess.	"
1915.	Jan. 7-Mar. 8	" "	69 sess.	"
1917.	Jan. 4-Mar. 5	" "	70 sess.	"
1919.	Jan. 9-Mar. 10	" "	71 sess.	"
1920.	Jan. 16	" "	spec. sess.	"
1920.	July 12-30	" "	spec. sess.	"
1921.	Jan. 6-Mar. 7	" "	72 sess.	"
1921.	Dec. 14	" "	spec. sess.	"
1923.	Jan. 4-Mar. 5	" "	73 sess.	"
1925.	Jan. 8-Mar. 9	" "	74 sess.	"
1927.	Jan. 6-Mar. 7	" "	75 sess.	"

JUDGES OF NORTHWEST TERRITORY, 1787-1800

APPOINTED BY CONGRESS

- John Armstrong. Oct. 16, 1787. Declined appointment, Jan. 16, 1788.
- Samuel Holden Parsons. Oct. 16, 1787. Served till death, Nov. 17, 1789.
- James Mitchell Varnum. Oct. 16, 1787. Served till death, Jan. 10, 1789.
- John Cleves Symmes. Feb. 19, 1788. Took place of Armstrong. Served till 1800.

APPOINTED BY PRESIDENT WITH CONSENT OF SENATE

- William Barton. Aug. 20, 1789. Declined appointment to succeed Varnum.
- Samuel Holden Parsons. Aug. 20, 1789. Reappointed. Served till death, Nov. 17, 1789.
- John Cleves Symmes. Aug. 20, 1789. Reappointed. Served till 1800.
- George Turner. Sept. 12, 1789. To succeed Barton. Resigned, 1797 (?).
- Rufus Putnam. Mar. 31, 1790. To succeed Parsons. Resigned upon appointment as surveyor general, Dec. 22, 1796.
- Joseph Gilman. Dec. 22, 1796. To succeed Putnam. Served till 1800.
- Return Jonathan Meigs. Feb. 12, 1798. To succeed Turner. Served till 1800.

JUDGES OF INDIANA TERRITORY, 1800-1816

APPOINTED BY PRESIDENT WITH CONSENT OF SENATE

- William Clarke. Began service July 4, 1800. Appointment approved, Dec. 10, 1800. Served till death, Nov. 11, 1802.
- John Griffin. Began service July 4, 1800. Appointment approved, Dec. 10, 1800. Transferred to Michigan Territory, Dec. 23, 1805.
- Henry Vanderburgh. Began service July 4, 1800. Appointment approved, Dec. 10, 1800. Served till death, Apr. 12, 1812.
- Thomas Terry Davis. Feb. 8, 1803. To succeed Clarke. Served till death, Nov. 15, 1807.
- Waller Taylor. Apr. 17, 1806. To succeed Griffin. Served till 1816.
- Benjamin Parke. Apr. 22, 1808. To succeed Davis. Served till 1816.

GOVERNORS

NORTHWEST TERRITORY

- Arthur St. Clair. Oct. 5, 1787. Served till 1800.
- Winthrop Sargent, acting. During St. Clair's frequent and sometimes prolonged absences from the territory, Sargent was acting governor. He signed the laws of the first 1790 session, and for 1792 and 1798 as acting governor.

INDIANA TERRITORY

- John Gibson, acting. July 4, 1800-Jan. 10, 1801.
- William Henry Harrison. Appointed May 13, 1800; sworn in, Jan. 10, 1801; served till Mar. 1, 1813.
- John Gibson, acting. July, 1812-May 25, 1813.
- Thomas Posey. Appointed Mar. 1, 1813; arrived in Indiana Territory, May 25, 1813; served till Nov. 7, 1816.

STATE OF INDIANA

- Jonathan Jennings. Sworn in, Nov. 7, 1816. Resigned upon election to Congress, Sept. 12, 1822.
- Ratliff Boon, completed term. Sept. 12, 1822-Dec. 4, 1822.
- William Hendricks. Dec. 4, 1822. Resigned upon election to Senate, Feb. 12, 1825.
- James B. Ray, completed term. Feb. 12-Dec. 7, 1825.
- James B. Ray. Dec. 7, 1825-Dec. 7, 1831.
- Noah Noble. Dec. 7, 1831-Dec. 6, 1837.

David Wallace. Dec. 6, 1837-Dec. 9, 1840.
 Samuel Bigger. Dec. 9, 1840-Dec. 6, 1843.
 James Whitcomb. Dec. 6, 1843. Resigned upon election to Senate, Dec. 26, 1848.
 Paris C. Dunning, completed term. Dec. 26, 1848-Dec. 5, 1849.
 Joseph A. Wright. Dec. 5, 1849-Jan. 12, 1857.
 Ashbel P. Willard. Jan. 12, 1857. Served till death, Oct. 4, 1860.
 Abram A. Hammond, completed term. Oct. 4, 1860-Jan. 14, 1861.
 Henry S. Lane. Jan. 14, 1861. Resigned upon election to Senate, Jan. 16, 1861.
 Oliver P. Morton, completed term. Jan. 16, 1861-Jan. 9, 1865.
 Oliver P. Morton. Jan. 9, 1865. Resigned upon election to Senate, Jan. 23, 1867.
 Conrad Baker, completed term. Jan. 23, 1867-Jan. 11, 1869.
 Conrad Baker. Jan. 11, 1869-Jan. 13, 1873.
 Thomas A. Hendricks. Jan. 13, 1873-Jan. 8, 1877.
 James D. Williams. Jan. 8, 1877. Served till death, Nov. 20, 1880.
 Isaac P. Gray, completed term. Nov. 20, 1880-Jan. 10, 1881.
 Albert G. Porter. Jan. 10, 1881-Jan. 12, 1885.
 Isaac P. Gray. Jan. 12, 1885-Jan. 14, 1889.
 Alvin P. Hovey. Jan. 14, 1889. Served till death, Nov. 23, 1891.
 Ira J. Chase, completed term. Nov. 23, 1891-Jan. 9, 1893.
 Claude Matthews. Jan. 9, 1893-Jan. 11, 1897.
 James A. Mount. Jan. 11, 1897-Jan. 14, 1901.
 Winfield T. Durbin. Jan. 14, 1901-Jan. 9, 1905.
 J. Frank Hanly. Jan. 9, 1905-Jan. 11, 1909.
 Thomas R. Marshall. Jan. 11, 1909-Jan. 13, 1913.
 Samuel M. Ralston. Jan. 13, 1913-Jan. 8, 1917.
 James P. Goodrich. Jan. 8, 1917-Jan. 10, 1921.
 Warren T. McCray. Jan. 10, 1921-Apr. 30, 1924.
 Emmett F. Branch, completed term. Apr. 30, 1924-Jan. 12, 1925.
 Ed Jackson. Jan. 12, 1925-.

PROMULGATION OF THE LAWS

A definite system for the publication of the session laws of the state was first established in 1855. An act of February 7 of that year made it "the duty of the several clerks of Circuit Courts in this State, immediately on the receipt of the laws of any session, to transmit to the Governor a certificate stating the day when such laws were so received." The second section of the act stipu-

lated that as soon as certificates from all the counties were received, the governor should "issue and publish his proclamation, announcing the date at which the latest filing took place." The present method (1928) of promulgating the laws, in force since 1897, is a modification of this method. Certificates are sent from the county clerks to the secretary of state upon receipt of the laws, and upon notification from all counties, the governor's proclamation is issued.

From 1787 to 1855 the process had gone through several unsatisfactory stages, in the course of which a variety of provisions applied to different laws and classes of laws. In some cases special clauses in the laws themselves provided that they should be effective upon publication in the local newspapers, or in a designated paper; a great many were to go into effect upon a specified date; some were effective upon passage.

The only limitation set by the Ordinance of 1787 on this point was that laws must be submitted to Congress and were subject to its disapproval. The first state constitution in 1816 provided that no act of the General Assembly should be in force until published in print, except in cases of emergency. Two years later, an act of January 1 to provide for the speedy printing of the local and special acts of the General Assembly, defined the word "published" as follows: "Any local or special act of this, or any succeeding session of the general assembly of this state, shall be considered as published, when printed in the News-paper, published by the printer or printers to the state, and received at the county seat of the county or counties where such law is to operate, if such county seat is established, if not, it shall be considered as in force so soon as it comes into the hands of such persons, as are authorized to act upon it."

An attempt to prescribe a general regulation concerning the taking effect of laws is evident in the Revision of 1843. Among the provisions for the printing and distribution of the laws is a section making it "the duty of

the clerk of the circuit court of each county to make a record of the day and date of the reception of the acts and joint resolutions . . . in his office," such record to be "deemed and taken as the time of the publication of the said laws within said territory." While this measure settled the question for each county, it left the undesirable probability that laws effective in one county might be still unpublished in others.

The Constitution of 1851 ended this confusion by stipulating that no act should take effect until published and circulated in the several counties of the state, by authority, except in case of emergency declared in the preamble or body of the law, and the enactment of February 7, 1855, mentioned above, established the procedure of a formal announcement from the governor when the laws had been published in every county.

The following list of dates for the taking effect of laws, which was begun in the Revision of 1881, and was extended in Burns' subsequent revisions of the laws, has been further amplified from the Governor's Proclamation Book in the office of the secretary of state. The Proclamation Book covers the period from 1873 to date. No more authoritative or complete record has been discovered.

1842-43	Revised Statutes	1844
1851-52	Special Acts	November 6, 1852
1851-52	Revised Statutes	May 6, 1853
1853	.....	July 24, 1853
1855	.....	August 17, 1855
1857	.....	August 24, 1857
1858	Special Session	August 6, 1859
1859	.....	August 6, 1859
1861	.....	July 5, 1861
1861	Special Session	September 7, 1861
1863	.....	October 10, 1863
1865	.....	September 2, 1865
1865	Special Session	April 13, 1866
1867	.....	June 6, 1867
1869	Regular and Special Sessions	August 16, 1869
1871	.....	July 10, 1871
1872	Special Session	July 7, 1873

1873	.....	July 7, 1873
1875	Regular and Special Sessions	August 24, 1875
1877	Regular and Special Sessions	July 2, 1877
1879	Regular and Special Sessions	4 P.M., May 31, 1879
1881	Regular and Special Sessions	September 19, 1881
1883	.....	June 5, 1883
1885	Regular and Special Sessions	July 18, 1885
1887	.....	2 P.M., May 21, 1887
1889	.....	12:30 P.M., May 10, 1889
1891	.....	12:30 P.M., June 3, 1891
1893	.....	12 M., May 18, 1893
1895	.....	June 28, 1895
1897	.....	April 14, 1897
1899	.....	11 A.M., April 27, 1899
1901	.....	4 P.M., May 15, 1901
1903	.....	9 A.M., April 23, 1903
1905	.....	2:30 P.M., April 15, 1905
1907	.....	8:30 A.M., April 9, 1907
1908	Special Session	10:45 A.M., November 20, 1908
1909	.....	3 P.M., April 5, 1909
1911	.....	April 21, 1911
1913	.....	2:25 P.M., April 30, 1913
1915	.....	3 P.M., April 26, 1915
1917	.....	8:20 A.M., May 31, 1917
1919	.....	8 A.M., May 15, 1919
1920	Special Session	January 16, 1920
1920	Special Session	8:20 A.M., November 13, 1920
1921	.....	5 P.M., May 31, 1921
1921	Special Session	December 14, 1921
1923	.....	2 P.M., April 30, 1923
1925	.....	4 P.M., April 25, 1925
1927	.....	10:25 A.M., May 16, 1927

REVISIONS OF THE LAWS

AUTHORIZED TERRITORIAL REVISION

1807. First Session, Second General Assembly. Revisors, John Rice Jones and John Johnson.

AUTHORIZED STATE REVISIONS

1823-24. Eighth session. Revisor, William Hendricks.

1830-31. Fifteenth session. Revisors, Joint Committee of five members from the House and five from the Senate, allowed to appoint subcommittees.

- 1837-38. Twenty-second session. Revisors, Judges of the Supreme Court, and a Joint Committee of five members from the House and five from the Senate.
- 1842-43. Twenty-seventh session. Revisors, Samuel Bigger and George H. Dunn.
- 1851-52. Thirty-sixth session. Revisors, Joint Committee of two members from the Senate and three from the House. James S. Hester, of the Committee, prepared the annotations.
1881. Fifty-second session. Revisors, James S. Frazer, John H. Stotsenburg, and David Turpie.

PRIVATE REVISIONS

1860.	Revisors.	James Gavin and Oscar B. Hord.	Vol. I
1862.	"	" " " " " "	Vols. I and II.
1863.	"	" " " " " "	Vol. I and Sup. Sup. also printed separately.
1870.	"	" " " " " "	Vols. I and II
1870.		Edwin A. Davis. Supplement to Gavin and Hord	Vol. III
1876.		Edwin A. Davis	Vols. I and II
1878.	"	" " "	Vols. I " II
1888.		E. B. Myers and Co.	Vols. I " II
1889.		William F. Elliott	1 vol.
1892.		E. B. Myers and Co. Supplement to 1888 edition	Vol. III
1894.		Harrison Burns	Vols. I, II, and III
1896.		Frank A. Horner	Vols. I and II
1897.		Harrison Burns. Supplement to Burns' edition of 1894	Vol. IV and Index
1897.		Frank A. Horner	1 vol.
1897.		W. W. Thornton	1 vol.
1901.		Frank A. Horner	Vols. I and II
1901.		Harrison Burns	Vols. I, II, III and Index
1905.	"	" Supplement to Burns' edition of 1901	Vol. IV.
1908.		Harrison Burns	Vols. I, II, III and Index
1914.	"	"	Vols. I, II, III, IV and Index
1918.	"	" Supplement to Burns' edition of 1914	Vol. V

1921.	Revisor. Harrison Burns. Supplement to Burns' edition of 1914	Vols. I and II
1926.	Benjamin F. Watson	Vols. I, II, III, and Index

SPECIAL AND LOCAL LAWS

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8 sess.....special.....1823-24	28 sess.....local.....1843-44
15 sess.....special.....1830-31	29 sess.....local.....1844-45
19 sess.....local.....1834-35	30 sess.....local.....1845-46
20 sess.....local.....1835-36	31 sess.....local.....1846-47
21 sess.....local.....1836-37	32 sess.....local.....1847-48
22 sess.....local.....1837-38	33 sess.....local.....1848-49
23 sess.....local.....1838-39	34 sess.....local.....1849-50
24 sess.....local.....1839-40	35 sess.....local.....1850-51
25 sess.....local.....1840-41	36 sess..special and local..1851-52
26 sess.....local.....1841-42	

MILITIA LAWS

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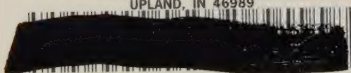
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